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SUMMARY.

French newspapers state that plans of the new British quick-firing naval gun have been sold to foreign Powers.

These journals assert that probably plans of the defence of British ports have also been sold.

Financiers have made a proposal to construct a railway across Australia to Port Darwin.

They have deposited £50,000 for an option of 12 months, and are awaiting the South Australian Government's decision.

The financiers are confident that their scheme will be successful if it is not delayed.

An accidental explosion in a room in Paris on May 8 revealed to the police a bomb factory.

Two carpenters who were injured were arrested, convicted of manufacturing bombs, and sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

M. Georges Montefiore, who lived in Brussels, bequeathed £100,000 to discover means for the prevention of consumption.

Military unrest in Russia is widespread and increasing.

The soldiers' grievances are personal, and are largely the result of sympathy with the Duma's land policy.

As soldiers cannot be prevented from discussing politics, officers are urged to instil into their men anti-revolutionary ideas.

Officials still threaten massacres of Jews.

The first battalion of the Preobrajensky Regiment has been transformed into a special infantry battalion.

Peasants in Kursk district, Middle Russia, are destroying forests and stealing cattle.

The second battalion of Grenadiers at Kronstadt has been summoned to St. Petersburg.

At Warsaw a number of soldiers and civilians were court-martialed for forming a secret association to incite troops to mutiny.

Many of the Warsaw police are fleeing to Austria, owing to constant assassinations by Terrorists.

A strong detachment of Cossacks has been sent to St. Petersburg to guard the military and naval workshops.

At Tsareff Cossacks were worsted in severe fighting with peasants. Many persons were injured.

Troops over wide areas are refusing police duty.

During the campaign in German South-west Africa 730 soldiers have been killed or died of disease.

The natives who have been captured number 17,000.

Hottentots near Roman's Drift frustrated an attempt by Germans to encircle them, and captured 100 horses.

A gun on the cruiser Essex when being reloaded during the naval manoeuvres exploded.

One man was killed and four were injured.

After a blank charge was fired the breach was reopened, when the back fire exploded a blank cartridge held in readiness.

The number of Zulu rebels is increasing daily. Another tribe has risen.

The rebels at Hlongo charged down a hill like a wave, and opened out fanwise.

Only the combined fire of Rexer and Maxim guns could check the onrush.

The Rexer gun was proved to be a marvellous weapon.

Two British subjects, O'Hara and Allan, have been whipped by mounted police at Affonso, Brazil.

They called at a cottage to inquire the road. A woman, without cause, became frightened.

She made accusations against the men, and the police whipped and otherwise maltreated them.

An inquiry has been opened into the matter.

Earthquake shocks occurred in parts of England on Friday.

New South Wales and Western Australia have fine collections of exhibits at the Royal Agricultural Show at Derby.

The King visited the show, and expressed his warm personal interest in agriculture and stock raising.

He was proud to see that purchasers from all parts of the world flocked to England to purchase stock.

The Bishop of London (Dr. Winnington-Ingram) has received £140,000 for the erection of churches in his diocese.

The Automobile Grand Prix de France, on the Sarthe circuit, of 750 miles, was won by a Renault car, driven by Sisz.

The time was 12 hours 14 minutes 7 seconds. A Fiat car (Nazzaro) was second, and a Bayard-Clement (Clement) third.

There is a good rise in the Murray, which is over its banks at Albury.

Settlers near the river have been warned to prepare for a flood.

The Murrumbidgee has also risen considerably. The Tumut River is in flood.

Snow fell in the Tumberumba district on Friday and Saturday.

Generally fine and cold weather is expected, with light showers on the south-west slopes, and snow on the Alps.

A third death from pneumonic plague has occurred.

The victim was Mrs. Miles, who visited the Grose family at Balmain, among whom cases occurred.

There are 22 contacts at the Quarantine Station. None of them have shown any sign of illness.

The Premier says there was no occasion for alarm now that the disease was detected.

The collier Glaucus, bound from Newcastle to Melbourne, broke her shaft, and was picked up by the Kanowna.

The tow-line broke off Waterloo Bay. The Perth stood by yesterday. The Kanowna proceeded on her voyage to Sydney.

A disturbance occurred on the steamer Chiswick, which is lying in Snails Bay, on Saturday.

A Chinaman's attempt to interfere was resented by another Chinese, who fired several revolver shots, which took effect.

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[illegible] revenue returns for the financial [illegible] xcess of the preceding 12 months.

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[illegible] arung, which foundered off Wat[illegible] as raised on Saturday.

[illegible] on Saturday a fair business was [illegible] nvestment and mining stocks.

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V. de la CIOTAT	Rebufat	Aug. 13	Aug. 16	Aug. 18
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From MELBOURNE, via HOBART and BLUFF—WIMMERA, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1.

TASMANIA.

HOBART— WESTRALIA, WEDNESDAY, JULY 4, 4 p.m.; 13, 24.
From HOBART— WESTRALIA, JULY 10, 18, 28.
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ORUBA	5858	Plunkett	July 28	July 31	Aug. 2
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MONOWAI, SATURDAY, July 7, at 1 p.m.
WAIKARE, SATURDAY, July 21, at 1 p.m.

TASMANIA.

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From HOBART—July 3, 14, 24.
For LAUNCESTON, via EDEN.—WAKATIPU, WEDNESDAY, July 4, at 10 a.m.; and August 1.
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For TONGA (Nukualofa, Haapai, and Vavau), SAMOA (Apia), FIJI, thence to Sydney— NAVUA (Twin-screw), from Auckland, TUESDAY, July 24.
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOSEPH BROADRIBB, sometimes called Joseph Broadribb the Younger, late of Mount Hope, Ladysmith, near Wagga Wagga, in the State of New South Wales, Stock-dealer, formerly a Grazier, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that probate of the last Will of the abovenamed JOSEPH BROADRIBB, deceased, may be granted to FRANCIS BROADRIBB, of Ladysmith aforesaid, Grazier, and JOHN HILLAM, of Pillagalala, near Big Springs, Wagga Wagga, Farmer and Grazier, the Executors therein named. And all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. HEATH and MITCHELMORE, Oddfellows' Hall-buildings, Fitzmaurice-street, Wagga Wagga. By J. R. GARLAND, their Agent, 56 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ARTHUR JAMES CARTER, late of Narrabri, in the State of New South Wales, Labourer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to HENRY DAVID CARTER, the Father of the said deceased. And all Creditors and other persons having any debts or claims upon the Estate of the said deceased are required to send in particulars of claim to the undersigned within such fourteen days; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. JOHN MATTHEW McDONALD, Proctor for Administrator, Narrabri. By REFRAG, SIMPSON, and PETRIE, 64 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

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June 30, 1906.

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Applications are invited for the appointment of HEAD MISTRESS of the above School, duties to commence 1st OCTOBER, 1906. Salary, £350 per annum and boarding fees. Applications, stating age, full experience, and qualifications, will be received till 31st JULY, by the Secretary, from whom any further information can be obtained.
G. G. W. SHAW,
Secretary Girls' Grammar School,
Rockhampton.

SCHOOL for SALE, good weekly Girls' School, 70 pupils, suit 2 ladies. Miss Nisbet, 38 Eliz.-st.

SELLING Off.—Rolltop Desks £5 17s 6d, Office Tables fr. 17s 6d, St. Safes £5 10s. Elliott's, 493 Geo.-st.

SHIRTMAKERS.—Wanted, expert Button-hole Machinists, constant. Sydney Shirt Factory, 175 Hay-st.

SHIRTMAKER.—Practical Machinist, good wages, constant guaranteed. S. Gordon, Sons, 85 Clarence-st.

SIGNWRITER, quick, good; also, smart improver. Early, M. Moss, 437 Oxford-st, Paddington.

SIGNWRITER wanted, for outside work. 9 a.m., C. L. Pullen and Co., 256 Pitt-st.

SLATERS.—Meeting To-night, at the Trades Hall, 8. J. Maver, sec.

SMART Office Boy wanted, from school preferred. Apply with refs., King, 316 George-st, after 2.

SMART BOY for merchant's office, knowledge typewriting, refs. required, 5s commence. Energy, Hrld.

SMART, clean BOY wanted, 5s week. Pattinson and Co., Ltd., 492 Kent-st.

SYDNEY INDUSTRIAL BLIND INSTITUTION, WILLIAM-STREET, SYDNEY.
TO LADY COLLECTORS.
Wanted, a Lady Collector, for the above Institution, to collect subscriptions in the city and suburbs. Information as to duties, salary, etc., can be obtained from the undersigned,
H. HEDGER, Manager.

SMART young SALESMAN required for Boot Department.
Apply
Box 1032, G.P.O.

TAILORESSES.—Wtd., first-cl. Coat Hands, constant. Commonwealth Tailoring Co., 554 George-st.

TAILORS.—Wanted to Apprentice a strong, intelligent Lad to trade. 145 Norton-st, Leichhardt.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, immed., first-class Buttonhole Finisher. R. Simons, manuf., 214 Sussex-st.

TAILORESSES.—Coatmakers wanted, constant to good hands. Frank Howes and Co., 95 King-st.

TAILORESS.—Coat HANDS wanted, to work with man. Price and Co., 114 King-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class Improvers to work with coat hands. Sheaves and Co., 713 Geo.-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class Coat Hands, constant. E. T. Walsh, 359 George-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class COAT HANDS. R. C. Hagon, 129 King-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, Bound VEST HANDS. R. C. Hagon, 129 King-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, 2 IMPROVERS to the coats. R. C. Hagon, 129 King-st.

TO Tailoresses.—Wtd., first-class Coat and Vest Hands. Hagon Bros., 107-9 Oxford-st.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, COAT HANDS, in or out doors. R. C. Hagon, 129 King-st.

TUTOR, £60, English, music, Protestant. Hittmann's Agency, 61 Elizabeth-st.

TUTOR, £50, Eng., mus., good stn.; Gov., £35. McManus, 41 Elizabeth-st.

TWO expert Rabbit-trappers and Drivers seek Partners, with capital. Sportsman, P.O., Enmore.

TAILORESS.—Wanted, first-class COAT HAND for ladies' work, constant employment.
M'DOWELL and HUGHES,
382-4 George-street, near G.P.O.

TUTOR, all Eng., Fch., Latin, music, draw., b'keeping, station, £70; Governess, Eng., piano, and violin, R.C., Queanbeyan, £36; Eng., piano, and violin, good at dance music, Gulargambone. 110 Bathurst-st.

TUTOR for station, teach 2 boys English, music (piano), singing, £52 per annum. Apply SAGE and CO., Commission Agents,
Tel., 602. 55 Hunter-street.

TUTOR wanted, for country town, Southern line, English, French, Latin, mathematics, £100 to a young and capable man.
TEACHERS' REGISTRY, Equitable-building.

TO TAILORS.—A Special MEETING of this Union will be held TO-NIGHT at 8 o'clock, Trades Hall. Business: To consider recommendation of Joint Committee re fining issues.
J. DURACK, Secretary.

UP KING-ST.—HOT DRINKS and BOVRIL. Britannia Hotel, King and Castlereagh sts.

WANTED, 2 smart BRICKLAYERS, and Labourer. Corner Northumberland-av, Albany-rd, P'sham.

WANTED, 2 Men, used pulling down old buildings, Limerick Castle Hotel, Ann and Smith sts, S.H.

WANTED, young Lady Assistant, showroom, some exp., copy testimonials. 387 Geo.-st, noon to-day.

WANTED, smart Ledgerkeeper, shorthand indispens. State age and salary req. to Rex, Herald, King-st.

WANTED, a BARBER, to Rent Saloon, good connection. H. A. Daniels, 481 Darling-st, Balmain.

WANTED, good CHAIRMAKER. J. Hobbs, 273 Henderson-rd, Alexandria.

WANTED, BOYS, just leaving school, to appren. to good trade. A. H. Hundt, 13 Fitzroy-st, Newtown.

WANTED, Roofing Tiler, 8 sq., labour only. Eveleigh Railway Station, 7.30 a.m. Tools.

WANTED, smart Seller, for place of amusement, with references and exp. Amusement, Haymarket P.O.

WANTED, Enginedriver, used to centrifugal pump, no other need apply. Enginedriver, Herald Office.

WANTED, good Shirt and Collar Machinist, £1 week. Carrington Laundry, Bay-rd, N. Sydney.

WANTED, BOY, one accustomed to stock turnery preferred. Saxton and Binns, Ltd., Pyrmont.

WANTED, Lady TYPIST and Shorthand Writer. C. F. Jones, 4 Victoria Arcade.

WANTED, CARPENTER. New job, Botany-rd, Redfern, 11 a.m. Monday.

WANTED, SLEEPER CUTTERS, good bush. Apply Walters, Maddison, and Co., Manilla-Barraba Rwy.

WANTED, a strong YOUTH, used to packing china, and assistant storeman. Greta, Herald, King-st.

WANTED, 2 good BRICKLAYERS for Bega. Apply John Hines, Eden.

WANTED, a Plasterer, smart hand. Job, Fern Hill Stn., Fern Hill.

WANTED, Galvo. Ironworker's Improver. Apply Neilson and Kerr, Piper-st, Leichhardt.

WANTED, Improver to Coach Trimming. H. Hillier, 101 George-st West.

WANTED, CABINETMAKER, first-class only. T. Harris, 89 Darlington-rd, Darlington.

WANTED, RUBBLE MASON. Dudley-st, Randwick.

WANTED, first-class JOINER, used to office fittings, 8 a.m., J. R. Anderson, 75 Blue's Point-rd.

WANTED, YOUTH to Drive Cart and Deliver Orders. Apply R. E. Barton, Ironmonger, Dulwich Hill.

WANTED, Junr. Grocer, must be good provision hand. 10 o'clock, W. South, 17 Erskineville-rd.

WANTED, Carpenters, for Roofing. Etham-avenue, Darling Point.

WANTED by Masseuse, Patients to treat at their own homes. Apply Masseuse, Herald, Hunter-st.

WANTED, 5000 Working Men to try my famous Sac Suits to meas., 27s 11d, Myerson, 683-5 Geo.-st, H.

WANTED, first-class Improver to painting, 5s. Meet Wells-st and Edgeware-rd, Newtown, 7.30 a.m.

WANTED, respectable sober Licensed CAB DRIVER. Apply C. King, Wahroonga.

WANTED, Lady STENOGRAPHER and TYPIST. Apply Box 166.

WANTED, a Turner and Fitter, must be good lathe hand. Jas. Ward, stove wks., Marshall-st, S.H.

WANTED, Grocer's Storeman and Packer, for the wholesale dept. Rumsisen, 59 George-st West.

WANTED, a MESSAGE BOY. Apply Nock and Kirby, 194 George-st North.

WANTED, smart YOUTH. Apply 111 George-st West, near St. Benedict's.

WANTED, a LAD, used to blacksmith's shop. C. Cooper, 146 Abercrombie-st, Redfern.

WANTED, a smart Boy for office work. Apply John Hunter's Boot Factory, Castlereagh-st, Redfern.

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WANTED, a NURSERY GOVERNESS or LADY HELP to assist in house and needle work, and care of 2 children 6½ and 9 years. Apply, with references and salary required, to X., Herald Office.

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WANTED, smart Junior CLOTHIER and MERCER for country store. Salary 45s week. Apply Clothing Department,
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A CHARMING COTTAGE, with large garden, delightful harbour views. 222 Glenmore-rd.

A CLEAN HOUSE, 4 rooms, hall, copper, bath, 53 East-st, off Campbell-st. 12s.

A COMF. 7-room HOUSE, 11s 6d. 80 Mary-st, between Albion and Foveaux sts, Surry Hills.

A COTTAGE to LET, 3 rooms and kitchen, garden in front, every conv., low rent. 129 Windsor-st, Pad.

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A MODERN COTT., 5 rms., kit., offices, 14s. Windermere, Bathurst-st, Woollahra. Key next door.

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A SHOP, Dwelling, and Store, in good order. 512 Cleveland-st, near Bourke-st. Rent low.

AT MOORE PARK.—4 rooms, kitchen, balcony, bath, copper, 9s 6d. 36 Bennett-st, off Dowling-st.

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COOGEE.—VILLA, 6 rooms, all conv., main road, 15s week. Caretaker, Belmore-rd, near terminus.

COTTAGE and Stables to LET, suit a cab or van. 25 Morehead-st, Redfern.

CITY.—House, 6 rms., kit., hall, every conv., 18s. CITY.—House, 5 rms., kit., hall, every conv., 16s.
DARLINGTON.—House, 6 rms., cop., bath, tubs, 14s.
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MITCHELL and CRANSTON,
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DARLINGHURST, 66 Brougham-st, off William-st.—7 rms., tiled kit., f'dry, b'room, 17s. Key 68.

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FOVEAUX-ST, 117, 5 rms., kit., copper, bath, 17s.
REGENT-ST, 49, 5 rooms, kit., cop., bath, 21s.
CATHEDRAL-ST, 153, 6 rooms, cop., bath, stables, 18s.
PALMER-ST, 99, 5 rooms, kitchen, cop., bath, 17s.
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HOUSE, Bourke-st, city, 7 rooms, all convs., 1[illegible]
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SHOP and PREMISES, Lodge-st, Forest Lodge, 11s.
HOUSE, Windsor-st, Padd'ton, 5 rms., cop., bath, 12s.
HOUSE, 4 rooms, kit., cop., Milford-st, city, 10s.
HOUSE, 6 rms., bath, cop., Broadway, Glebe, 15s 6d.
HOUSE, 6 rooms, bath, cop., Forest Lodge, 12s.
Apply A. ROGALSKY, 42 Hunter-st (upstairs).

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NICE Brick COTTAGE, 3 rms., hall, kit., ev. conv., rent 7s 6d. J. Stapleton, Lachlan-st, Waterloo.

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WANTED, P'sham or Lewisham, comf. B. 4 [illegible] Lodging, must be cheap. Workingman, G.P.O.

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WANTED, at Mosman, Board, mar. couple, priv. fam., 2 guineas. Wanted, Darlinghurst, 2 large unfurn. Rooms, 12s, 2 adults. Wanted, Macquarie-st, 4 furnished Rooms, partial board, or attendance, 4 adults, lib. terms. Miss MACLACHLAN'S Agency (estab. 1896), Equitable, 350 Geo.-st, n. G.P.O. T. 3920.

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AUCTION SALES.

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PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Ltd. [illegible]

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E. HERDEN BRODRIBB. [illegible]

WITHOUT RESERVE. [illegible]

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES. [illegible]

A. G. JENKINS. [illegible]

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, AND OTHERS. [illegible]

A. BARNETT. [illegible]

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, JULY 3, 11 A.M.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION. Under instructions from MISS J. BLAKE, in consequence of Relinquishing Housekeeping. [illegible]

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DARLINGHURST. [illegible]

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CHAPTER I.—Continued.

There was a deep note in Venner's voice that did not fail to stimulate Gurdon's curiosity. [illegible]

CHAPTER II.

THE FIRST FINGER.

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(To be continued.)

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LAW REPORT.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Pring.)

RIGHTS OF A LANDLORD.

Kennion v Gannon.

In this case, heard by Mr. Justice Pring on Monday, June 25, Mr. Lamb, instructed by Messrs. Buchanan and Stathers, appeared for the appellant; and Mr. Blacket, instructed by Messrs. Crick and Carroll, for the respondent. Upon the case stated it appeared that the appellant, L. C. Kennion, as agent for Rimmer Resch, had proceeded before Mr. Macfarlane, S.M., upon a summons under the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899, to get possession of the Grand Pacific Hotel, Watson's Bay. An agreement whereby the defendant became tenant to Mr. Resch of the hotel at a rent of £3 per week from February 18, 1904, was at the hearing put in evidence, and notice to quit was proved. Mr. Crick, for the defendant, then tendered evidence to show that John Dykes was the owner of the premises, and had leased them to the defendant by indenture, dated February 17, 1904. This evidence was objected to, but admitted, and the question in the special case was whether the magistrate's decision in admitting the evidence was erroneous. Mr. Lamb contended that the respondent, having admitted that Mr. Resch was her landlord, could not prove that the title to the property was in John Dykes. Mr. Blacket, on the other hand, argued that as no rent had ever been paid or intended to be paid to Resch the document was a legal experiment evidencing an attempt to give a landlord's rights to a person who never was landlord in fact, and that as under the Act the first thing to be proved was that the person proceeding for possession was the landlord, the decision was right, as proof had failed on this point.

His Honor held that the decision of the magistrate was right. Resch had no claim or title to the land, and the agreement whereby he purported to lease to Mrs. Gannon was probably antedated so as to make it prior to the lease from Dykes. He further held that the authorities as to estoppel did not apply, because proceedings under this Act were not to be treated as proceedings in ejectment, because the justices, even though the title of the applicant might be proved, had still to see whether there was reasonable cause shown by the defendant. If such cause was shown the order must be refused. His Honor affirmed the law as laid down in ex parte Ferguson (13 L.R., 42) and ex p. Thomson (2 S.C.R., 238), and dismissed the appeal with costs.

LAW NOTICES.

MONDAY, JULY 2.

SUPREME COURT.

[illegible]

COURT OF ARBITRATION.

[illegible]

DISTRICT COURT.

[illegible]

SHEEP SALES.

BRITISH BREEDS.

FAIR AVERAGE PRICES.

On Saturday morning and afternoon, at the Agricultural Show Ground, the auctioneers were busily engaged disposing numerous exhibits in the British breed section of the Sheep Show. It will be seen from the report below that prices on the whole were satisfactory. The star lots made 100, 60, 55, 51, 45, and 40 guineas each.

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NIGHT-WATCHMAN SHOT.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

Bert Gay, night-watchman at the public offices, was found this morning with a bullet wound in his head, and a revolver lying close by. His condition at present is very critical. It is supposed to be a case of attempt to commit suicide.

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Entries closed on Saturday for the southern division of the "Herald" and "Mail" farm competitions. To date there are 110 competitors, but only twelve preventive batches will be added to the list. As the conditions of the competitions are somewhat complex, the following extract from the rules, which may be consulted at the offices of the "Herald" and "Mail," will be found useful:—

"Prizes will be awarded on entry, it is not necessary for competitors to wait until the crop is reaped. Competitors may be somewhat blessed at the size of the largest areas, but they might be again restricted that acreage counts for nothing; in fact, if there is any advantage, it should be with the men whose places are a handy size, and who are able to bring them to the highest pitch of perfection and show the best returns. The aim of the promoters was to get every sort of farmer into the competitions, and in this they have succeeded.

The judging committee met on Saturday to consider the appointment of judges for this division. The Director for Agriculture, Mr. W. S. Campbell, presided, and those present included Mr. Davidson, M.L.A., Mr. Frank Badgery, Mr. H. M. Somer (secretary Royal Agricultural Society), and Mr. R. J. Guthrie ("Sydney Mail"). A number of names were submitted for the judging, and it was decided to make the final choice at an early date. A date advance on FURNITURE, PIANOS, Sewing Machines (without removing), REASONABLE RATES, STRICTLY PRIVATE, on your own terms.

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CALLS AND DIVIDENDS ON SHARES.

IVANHOE GOLD CORPORATION, LIMITED.
32ND DIVIDEND.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Directors have declared a FIRST QUARTERLY Interim Dividend in respect of the year 1906 of Five (5) Shillings per Share, payable on 26th JULY, 1906, subject to deduction of English Income Tax of One Shilling in the £.

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A few days ago a friend of mine residing at Mosman, who has a "NEW PARAGON," showed me a funny squib that was pushed under his door, and which proclaimed the wonderful advantages of the English gas-devourer. FIRST—Because this. SECOND—Because that. THIRD—Became something else. But the principal BECAUSE was that the heat from the burners was applied direct to the bottoms of the vessels, without having to heat a thick cast-iron plate. When we got to this BECAUSE we had a good hearty laugh. My friend said the writer must have got them again. This, the principal BECAUSE, was in large type, and was evidently intended to be the trump card. Now as "RALEIGH'S NEW PARAGON" is the only gas stove that has a hot plate, and to prove that the writer of the squib must be a distant relation of Ananias on his mother-in-law's side, M. Raleigh will on WEDNESDAY next boil in four vessels on the top of the stove, and when they are boiling rapidly will place his hand on the middle of the plate and KEEP IT THERE FOR FIVE MINUTES, to show the audience that when boiling only is required it can be done without unnecessarily heating the plate. If the writer of the funny squib will call at the School of Arts on Wednesday afternoon he will see it done, and if he has a spark of manly independence in his composition he will kneel down on his Sunday hat and beg my pardon. I will give him absolution, and advise him in a motherly way in future always to look into his BLUCHERS before he puts them on. After all, perhaps I should not blame him, as he is the victim of circumstances. He is told to say certain things, and must obey orders. He reminds me very much of my cockatoo, who was taught, among other things to say "POOR OLD COCKY RALEIGH," but he doesn't know whether he is saying his prayers or using improper language.
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The following Resolution has been passed by the Council of the Union:—
RESOLVED,—
"That legal proceedings be taken without notice against any organisation or its representatives, any contractor, pastoralist, or individual doing or being parties or party to any act of interference or intimidation during the ensuing shearing season, inducing or calculated to induce any member or members of the Machine Shearers and Shed Employees' Union under contracts for shearing or shed work to break their engagements."
"That the Secretary and Solicitor be instructed to carry out the above resolution without further direction in such manner as may appear to them to be expedient."
JOHN LEAHY, Gen. Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN GASLIGHT COMPANY.
PAYMENT OF DEBENTURE INTEREST.
The Half-yearly Interest on this Company's £4 per cent. Debentures, due on 1st July, 1906, is now payable at the Bank of New South Wales, Head Office, George-street, Sydney.
F. E. WILLIAMS, Acting Secretary.
Company's Head Office, 163 Kent-street, Sydney.

NEW ZEALAND INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
IMPORTANT NOTICE.
INTENDING EXHIBITORS are reminded that Messrs. J. GARDNER and SON, Ltd., of Christchurch, N.Z., are prepared to take charge of Exhibits and arrange for their proper display at the Exhibition.
The Principal of the firm, Mr. J. Gardner, is in Sydney till Wednesday next, 4th inst., and can be consulted at the
ARCADIA HOTEL, Pitt-street.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between JOHN JOSEPH MORRIS and ARTHUR WIGNEY, under the name, style, or firm of MORRIS and WIGNEY, Working Jewellers, of No. 3 Moore-street, Sydney, has THIS DAY been DISSOLVED by mutual consent; and the Business will be carried on by the said ARTHUR WIGNEY alone under the name of A. E. WIGNEY. Dated June 30, 1906. JOHN MORRIS, ARTHUR WIGNEY. Witness, Robert Brandreth Parry, 105 Pitt-street.

RATING ON UNIMPROVED LAND VALUES.
A DEPUTATION will wait upon the Lord Mayor next TUESDAY, JULY 3, at 11.30 a.m., to urge that the City Council ask the Government to pass legislation permitting the City to rate on unimproved values only.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF ARTHUR JOHN DRURY, Produce Merchant, Rookwood.
ALL CLAIMS against the above Estate must be rendered to me on or before SATURDAY Next, the 7th inst., otherwise they will not be recognised.
ALBERT BORCHARD, F.S.I.A., Incorporated Accountant, Equitable-building, George-street.
Sydney, 2nd July, 1906.

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Nos.	Due date.	Amount.
64 to 73 inclusive,	1st June, 1909,	£200 ea. = £2000.
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101 to 103 inclusive,	1st June, 1910,	100 ea. = 300.
104	1st June, 1910,	1000 = 1000.
Total		£5000.

By order of the Board,
F. G. WALEY, General Manager.
Sydney, 30th June, 1906.

THE QUEENSLAND NATIONAL BANK, Limited.
BANKERS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF QUEENSLAND.
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AMUSEMENTS.

MISS LEILA DOUBLEDAY'S CONCERT.

Miss Leila Doubleday, the Melbourne child-wonder, whose Australasian tour is intended to provide her with means to continue her studies at one of the great European centres, was introduced in Sydney at the Y.M.C.A. Hall on Saturday. The newcomer made a highly favourable impression, both as pianist and violinist. Her piano technique is more advanced than with the violin, which has been taken up as a second study, but she must possess great aptitude for the latter instrument, as her tone is pure, her intonation almost always sure, and her fingering fluent. The young player, who has just entered her teens, opened with a movement from Beethoven's "Sonata in D major," with the Chopin "Nocturne in F minor" as encore—the latter rendered with a shade too much of deliberation, but with sentiment and an expressive touch. After Schubert's "Impromptu in B flat," the encore was Chopin's "G flat Valse," and at the end of the evening the girl-pianist was recalled with enthusiasm after the Chopin "Fantaisie-Impromptu." Her budding style is marked by a good deal of firmness and power, and there can be no mistake about her musical gifts, which, however, do not approach the point of genius. In her violin numbers, Miss Doubleday also opened with a piece of absolutely classic type, Schumann's "Two Romances," a style of music always unfavourable to young performers, because it cannot be rendered slowly, and yet is difficult, and requires power in reserve and maturity of idea. In the encore, a clever mazurka by Mlynarski, the young student's double-stopping was tuneful and vivacious, involving a second encore, which took the form of Saint Saens "Le Cygne." Her share in the musical entertainment, obviously involving by the use of both instruments a double day's work, was unusually heavy, and probably for this reason the youthful performer was in places hurried and unsatisfactory in the "Andante" from Mendelssohn's Violin Concerto; but Pierne's "Serenade" and the Rubinstein "Romance" were charmingly rendered. This double encore was occasioned by the sustained applause of the audience. The choice Miss Doubleday will eventually make will depend upon the best advice that can be obtained; but a consideration greatly in favour of her becoming a violinist is the greater scope for distinction offered by that career, since of pianists it may be said "their name is legion." In any case, the young player gives promise of becoming a fine musician, and she will carry with her the good wishes of all who have heard her in her own country.

Concert speeches, and verbal announcements generally, are to be deprecated as a provincialism which should not find favour in a metropolitan city, but on Saturday Mr. H. N. Southwell (manager) had excuse for his departure from established custom. He offered Mrs. Doubleday's grateful thanks for all the kindness she had experienced in Sydney, where her campaign had been timidly undertaken against the advice of her Melbourne committee, and added that £50 had been cleared by the concert. In Melbourne £300 had been similarly raised, £300 more had been subscribed, whilst 30 persons had promised a guinea a year for five years. Messrs. W. H. Paling and Co. would gladly receive subscriptions in the same way in Sydney.

The concert programme as a whole was of an agreeable character. Miss Maude Thackeray, an English soprano from Adelaide, made her chief success in Herbert Bunning's "A Pearl," a song charming both as to words and music, which the singer rendered with effective warmth and refinement. Miss Thackeray also rendered tunefully and acceptably the seldom-heard and elaborate aria, "Di piacer mi balza il Cor," from "La Gazza Ladra," the opera in which Malibran made her early triumphs. Rossini's florid music, with its allegro movement, abounds in tenderly ornate passages, and closes with the conventional ending which composers of that day seemed obliged to employ. Mr. Henry Rofe also went far afield for an operatic number, choosing "D'Egitto la sui lidi," from "Nabuco," the work with which Verdi himself says he "began his career." The declamatory recitative was followed by the noble melody the title of which is quoted, and both were splendidly delivered by the basso cantante, who is better suited by serious dramatic music on a large scale than by the modern love songs he also brings forward. However, he gave a good account of himself in Guy d'Hardelot's "Because," and the resonant voice was well employed in Elgar's "After," music inspired by the despairful outlook upon life suggested by the pessimistic verse. "To Anthea" was not so successful. Mr. J. C. M'Keown, a tenor inclined to adopt too staccato a delivery, but with an excellent enunciation, was warmly encored for "I'll Sing Thee Songs of Araby," to which he added Noel Johnson's "My Love is Like a River." Mr. J. Edward Sykes accompanied the soloists.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

There was an immense attendance at Her Majesty's Theatre on Saturday, when many people were unable to gain admission to "The Little Michus." Apart from the attractions of the beautifully-staged opera, with its dainty music, spectacular scenes and ballets, and comic passages, playgoers are drawn by the consideration that the Royal Comic Opera Company will give their last matinee on Wednesday, and make their farewell appearance on Friday next.

On Saturday Mr. J. C. Williamson will introduce Mr. Wm. Collier and an entirely new American Company in Augustus Thomas's "On the Quiet." Extra fee applications are available until 4 o'clock, but to-morrow the plan opens at ordinary rates at Paling's.

"The Squaw Man" Company arrived from San Francisco on Saturday morning by the much-delayed Sonoma, which, under favourable circumstances, should have reached the wharf on Thursday afternoon. Mr. G. L. Goodman represented Mr. J. C. Williamson in receiving the newcomers, and escorted them on board the Orient, by which they continued their journey to Melbourne. Mr. Charles Waldron, Miss Ola Humphries, Miss Irene Outrim, and Mr. Holmes were the chief artists, and the American group also included a few cowboys from Texas. Their season will open in Melbourne on Saturday.

THEATRE ROYAL.

"In Sight of St. Paul's" drew a capital attendance at the Theatre Royal on Saturday, when the sensational scene showing the great fire at the Aspasia Club was applauded with enthusiasm. Mr. Bland Holt explains that perfect safety is assured, as the apparent fire is an ingenious illusion invented to avoid risk of any kind. The comic doings of the irrepressible "cabby," who turns footman, and the intrigues by which the "Panther" sows enmity between brothers, and tries to break the heroine's heart, held the attention of the audience throughout. Mr. Bland Holt's next production will be "With Flying Colours."

THE CRITERION.—CZERNY.

Those who delight in modern magic may see it in all the sumptuousness of Oriental setting at the Criterion Theatre, where Czerny holds sway under the management of Mr. Wm. Anderson. During the past year or two Sydney has had visits from several stage magicians holding high place in the modern school, and though there may have been more elaborate presentations than that now with us, yet Czerny is particularly expert. He is very clever with those tricks which, though simple, really call for the highest skill; while as to the now recognised paraphernalia repertoire he is sufficiently original to vary their dressing. Amusement seekers who delight in stage magic will get good measure from this latest aspirant for their patronage; those who like pretty stage effects will have them to surfeit. Living pictures and illustrated songs form part of the entertainment. The programme, which was largely changed on Saturday night will be further varied to-night, when the cinematograph will show pictures of the effects of the earthquake in San Francisco.

PALACE THEATRE.

The steamer Sonoma brought to Sydney on Saturday, consigned for the uses of Mr. Spencer's Theatrescope, at the Palace Theatre, a remarkable series of moving pictures of San Francisco after the earthquake and fire. Their appearance had been announced for some days previously, and as the subject matter has so much intrinsic attractiveness at the present time it was not surprising to find the accommodation of the theatre strained to its limits. As the merits of the pictures get more known the theatre should be crowded again and again. This is an occasion when the stage is a teacher of historical facts, and when it can put those facts before the public in a fashion more graphic and complete than the cleverest pen. No written account yet received here conveys anything like the impression of the disaster that this series of pictures does. The panoramic views of the havoc wrought in the aristocratic residential quarter places in sharp juxtaposition what was and what is now. The sites of mansions are marked by a towering wall here and there, while other lines of the building square are delimited by masses of shattered masonry. So with the City Hall and the whole of Van Ness-avenue, theatres, the Mint, Spreckels's great pile—they breathe a dirge for lost majesty; while the ruins of Chinatown and the notorious Barbary Coast excite more than a perfunctory sigh of pity for the letting of the fierce light of day into the secrets of the squalor of life. Not that Chinatown was all squalid, the splintered walls that stand in parts tell a different tale. The photographer caught a fine view of the brigade dynamiting buildings to make a fire break, and another of the work of an army pack train forwarding supplies. There are no fewer than 15 distinct sets of views, in themselves presenting a programme sufficient to satisfy an audience. But the entertainment includes a medley of other subjects, the new films amongst which are a coloured set telling of a juvenile courtship, and another set depicting an American convict's escape from prison. There will be a matinee on Wednesday.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

The turn presented by Brinn, the new artist at the Tivoli, on Saturday night, was sensational, interesting, and clever. The title he gives to it is "Pastimes on a Battleship," and the suggestion conveyed by the title is carried out with realistic effects. The opening scene is a battleship's deck, whereon parade some Jack tars looking to their duties. The captain, "Brinn," enters with the trumpet's flourish, and immediately gets to work. He playfully fastens a 95lb projectile shell to a chain, seizes the chain between his teeth, and swings the weight backwards and forwards over his head and beneath his legs. Eventually he allows the shell to fall on his neck, runs it along his shoulder and arm, and thence to the ground. Any suspicious minds were set at rest by the fact that the shell in its short fall to the ground smashed a hole in the stage. Brinn's next act was to twist a projectile weighing 174lb on the end of a ram. The other end of the ram he balanced on his chin, then knocked it away, and received the full weight of the shell on his back, guiding it along his arm to a stout wooden platform placed at his feet by the attendant. This feat was followed by one of juggling and strength, pretty in effect. Brinn spun a steering-wheel on the end of an anchor. The anchor's other end he inserted in one of the handles of a large steering-wheel, which had a corresponding socket; then into the handle of the wheel immediately beneath the one joined to the lower end of the anchor he inserted a gun rod, and balanced the whole structure on his chin. The wheels revolved in different directions with pretty effect. Finally, five men hoisted the gun, carriage, and equipment into the air by means of ropes and pulleys. The whole was lowered on to Brinn's jaw, where he had fastened a socket to make a connection, and, with incredible strength, he balanced the full weight while the gun was fired by an assistant. The new artist was well received, and at the conclusion of his performance astonishment gave way to great applause. Among the other artists who distinguished themselves were Larola, Little Cliff, Miss Lilleth Leyton, and Mr. Harry Kendal, Messrs. Blake and Granby, Miss Rose Cabain, Fred. Bluett, and Miss Maud Faning.

FISK JUBILEE SINGERS.

The Fisk Jubilee Singers were accorded a flattering reception on their reappearance at the Centenary Hall on Saturday evening. The hall was crowded. The Jubilee Singers take care that their entertainment suffers no change. That such precaution on their part is a wise one was demonstrated by the recurring encores of their time-honoured choruses on Saturday night. They gave "Steal Away to Jesus," "The Great Camp Meeting," "Hear Dem Bells," "I'm A-Rolling," and several others with the harmonious charm, though not quite all the strength, of previous occasions. "Hear Dem Bells" was one of their finest efforts. Mr. Clarence Tisdale was warmly received in "There's Nobody Just Like You," and was accorded a double encore. Mr. Harry C. Newton infused a good deal of dramatic force into Petrie's "Davy Jones's Locker," and was also encored, as was Miss Beatrice Mercer, contralto, for "Entreat Me Not to Leave Thee" (Gounod). Mr. R. H. Collins gave a fine exposition of soft-singing effects in "Mother, is Massa Gwine to Sell Me To-morrow?" and Miss Belle Gibbons was as cordially welcomed as heretofore, the lady baritone on this occasion singing the illustrated song, "The Valley of Kentucky." Professor C. White played the accompaniments. An excellent series of cinematograph pictures was shown, prominent among which were realistic scenes of the great Montreal fire. The entertainment will be repeated nightly.

TOWN HALL ORGAN RECITALS.

The Town Hall organ recitals were naturally suspended when Mr. Arthur Mason was granted leave of absence to visit Europe. Inasmuch as the city organist's salary was continued, the maintenance of recitals after his departure must obviously prove a source of additional expense. Probably the council would not have faced a fresh outlay but for the clamour of some few people who affected to be in despair at the silence of the colossal instrument. Thus it came to pass that "the voices crying in the wilderness" were listened to, the supposition that all Sydney was thirsting for these recitals impressed the municipal mind, the vast hall was lighted up, the engines were set in motion, and—a mere handful of people attended. Presumably the hundreds of empty chairs were not due to any distrust of the player engaged. Mr. Ernest Truman's talent for the instrument is well understood. He rendered Batiste's grand offertoire in D" and "Song of Hope," "O Star of Eve," and the "March" from Tannhauser, and some of his own compositions were included in a suitable programme. Miss Mabel Ward's tender rendering of "The Little Silver Ring" was so much appreciated that the contralto was called upon to add Lambert's "Sleep, Little One," and Mr. Henry Weir, who was also in full voice, was warmly encored for Adam's "Nirvana."

BIOGRAPH AT THE LYCEUM.

Since removing his New Zealand biograph from the Centenary Hall, in York-street, to the Lyceum Hall, in Pitt-street, Mr. Macdermott has done good business. There was an excellent audience at the matinee on Saturday, and at night the show was again largely patronised. The pictures shown are of the latest, and they are presented in a workmanlike fashion without any irritating delays. As a matter of fact the whole programme is up to date. There is not only the biograph, with its great scenes and funny incidents, but there is also a programme which in itself should be worth the popular prices that are charged for admission. Professor Scott, the ventriloquist, is responsible for much humour, and children particularly enjoy his "dummy sayings." Mr. Arthur Ford's tenor voice was pleasing in "Romany Lass" and the "Irish Emigrant." It is worthy of note that the pictures include a review of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade by the Governor-General, Lord Northcote, taken only a few weeks ago. The faces of many well-known citizens are easily recognisable. Some of the other pictures are amusing, notably the kidnapped child, and the escaped lunatic. There will be a matinee again on Wednesday.

BOSTOCK AND WOMBWELL'S CIRCUS.

The plan of reserved seats for the Sydney season of Bostock and Wombwell's Novelty Circus, commencing on Saturday night, will be opened at Elvy and Co.'s music warehouse to-morrow morning. The combination leaves Auckland to-day for Sydney. The New Zealand tour was highly successful.

THE HAYMARKET HIPPODROME.

The popularity of the Haymarket Hippodrome was again demonstrated on Saturday night, when an overflowing audience witnessed the production by the Bohemian Dramatic Company of the sensational English drama "The Fatal Ring." The piece, which abounds in sensational incidents, went well from the rise of the curtain, and had a flattering reception. Mr. W. H. Ayr's interpretation of the part of Frank Arnold was good. Miss Vene Linden gave an excellent delineation of the part of Mona Creswick. Others who did well were:—Messrs. Percy Goodwin, J. A. Hamilton, J. R. Wilson, W. S. Marshall, Miss Amy Sherwood, and Miss Belle Cole. "The Fatal Ring" will be played each evening until Friday night, when the usual change will take place.

THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

The members of the Boys' Brigade, Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills, entertained Mr. W. H. Waldon at tea on Friday, to celebrate the 21st anniversary of his connection with the institution as an honorary worker. The hall was decorated, and among the guests was Mr. L. Stephen, hon. secretary. The superintendent (Mr. W. Mitchell) congratulated Mr. Waldon upon his enviable record of 21 years' continuous service, and eulogised the spirit of self-sacrifice which actuated his work among the boys. Mr. L. Stephen added his congratulations, and assured Mr. Waldon of the esteem in which he was held by the committee of management, on behalf of whom he tendered sincere thanks and best wishes. Mr. Waldon, in reply, drew attention to the fact that seated round him were four persons whose term of service with the brigade aggregated 73 years. He related some interesting recollections of work among city lads, and delivered a short homily upon the motto of his mutual improvement class, viz., "Good order, self-reliance, and honesty."

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RIFLE SHOOTING.

QUIET DAY AT RANDWICK.

Almost perfect conditions prevailed at Randwick range on Saturday afternoon, when a fair number of shooters put in an appearance. Several interesting club events were carried out. The members of the Randwick Club held three service matches, while the B Company of the 2nd A. I. Regiment carried out a tiles match contest. The headquarters and suburban companies of the 1st A. I. Regiment arranged a match, the conditions being teams of 24 men, with 15 shots at 600yds. Headquarters won by 139 points. Details:—

Randwick.—This club brought a successful year's operations to a close, when nearly 40 members took part in three service matches. In the Running Man Contest (eight shots at 300yds), David Storey scored eight hits—16 points—followed by C. Fisher 14, A. R. Stephenson 12, F. W. Turton 12, E. N. Hearne, H. C. Blacklow, C. Rhodes, J. Poole, E. J. Weine, D. Mitchell, F. Masters, J. Mason, and W. A. Clark 10 points each. In the second match, which consisted of eight shots at a vanishing khaki disc at 300yds, E. N. Hearne was top scorer with three bulls, three outers—18 points—followed by A. J. Thorpe 16, C. Fisher 12, and C. Rhodes, D. Mitchell, F. Masters, J. Hammond, J. Gordon, and G. Leggo 10 points. A tiles competition was also held, eight teams of four men competing under N.R.A. conditions. In the majority of instances excellent shooting was done, the four tiles being broken in several of the heats in quick time. In the final A. R. Stephenson, H. J. Thorpe, N. Pidgeon, and J. Gordon defeated J. R. Wallace, E. J. Weine, E. Hearne, jun., and C. Cowell by 4 points to 1.

"B" Company 2nd A.I. Regiment.—This company carried out a tiles match, being portion of a competition for the Governor's Challenge Bowl, in which the headquarters companies are taking part. 40 men from each company firing two shots per man. An average of 3 per cent. of hits was recorded.

University Scouts (second shoot Trinity term) "A" Class, 15 shots at 900 yards.—Private Townsend, 66; Private Price, 60; Private Morris, 55; Private Barton, 50; Private Abernethy, 56; Sergeant Garnock, 48; Lieutenant Mort, 46. "B" Class, 15 shots at 500 yards. —Private Norrie, 55; Private Pockley, 55; Private M'Keown, 53; Private Hume, 52; Private Schleicher, 49; Private Flecker, 48.

First A. I. Regiment (Headquarters v Suburban Companies), 24 men aside, 15 shots at 600yds. Best scores were:—Headquarters: Pte. Battishall, 63; Sergeant Seymour, 63; C. S. Thomas, 63; Private Maddison, 65; Private Searle, 62; Sergeant Mowbray, 61; Private Gibbins, 60; C.S. Turner, 60; Private Massard, 59; Lieutenant Bedford, 59; Sergeant Sheehan, 58; Corporal Gilbert, 58; Captain Tilney, 55; Private Mallard, 55; Private Pearce, 54; Sergeant Dunbar, 54; Private Cochrane, 53; Private Ellis, 52; Private Thompson, 52; Corporal Rowe, 50; Private Armstrong, 50. Total, 1338. Suburban Companies: Sergeant Blaudell, 63; C.S. Adams, 62; Lieutenant H. Dakin, 59; Capt. R. Walton, 58; Private C. Caller, 55; C.S. Burse, 56; Sergeant M'Credie, 50; Sergeant Johnson, 56; Lieutenant Russell, 54; Sergeant Caller, 53; Private E. Mallard, 53; Major Croker, 50. Total, 1199.

H. Company, 1st A. I. R. (prize-winners for June quarter) best two of three shootings at 500 and 600 yards.—C.S. Adams (scr), 121; Private Orr (4), 113; Sergeant Ward (15), 112; Corporal Sheppard (3), 110; Private Dundon (10), 109; Private M'Donald (8), 105.

Australian Engineers (first shoot for the N.R.A. medal), seven shots at 200 and 300 yards (5in bull's-eye).—Captain Warden, 31, 27—58; Sap. Box, 30, 26—56; Staff-Sergeant Pantlin, 29, 27—56; Corporal French, 32, 23—55; Q.M.S. Meaney, 29, 25—54; Sap. Beasley, 28, 24—52; Sap. Lee, 29, 22—51; Sap. Poole, 31, 21—52; Sap. Channell, 28, 27—55; Corporal Powell, 28, 22—50; Lieutenant Sheldon, 26, 23—49; Bugler Pantlin, 26, 20—46.

N.S.W. Lancers—No. 3 troop defeated No. 1 troop by 208 points to 251. Conditions: Seven shots at 500yds and 600yds.—Best scores No. 3 troop: Trooper T. F. Fitzsimons, 29, 23—52; Corp. Ferguson, 27, 22—49; Trooper L. Fitzsimons, 22, 23—45. No. 1 troop: Sergt. Parbery, 25, 23—48; Corp. Burns, 21, 26—47; Trooper Noller, 30, 15—45.

South Sydney (practice), 15 shots at 1000yds.—Best scores included: S. Peacock, 60; A. Cottee, 54; T. Pearce, 51.

Irish Rifles (practice), 7 shots at 500yds and 600yds.—Corp. Killian, 28, 33—61; Sergt. O'Hara, 21, 30—51. N. Harding, 29, 34—63; A. Daniel, 29, 28—57; J. S. Pryce, 30, 26—56; — Henderson, 24, 30—54; J. A. Wright, 31, 23—54; H. Jones, 24, 29—53; Clayton, 25, 28—53; G. Cameron, 27, 26—53.

South Sydney.—The championship for the year. Best eight shoots out of twelve, off the rifle, was won by Mr. D. M'Calley with a total of 502 points. The president's trophy, best eight of twelve shoots, handicap added, was won by Mr. E. Atkin with a total of 488 points. For the club trophies, best four shoots of six, for last half-year, handicaps added, Mr. D. M'Calley (scr) was top scorer with 276 points, Mr. T. Pearce was second with 271 points, Mr. E. Atkin third with 260 points, and Mr. J. Beverley fourth with 263 points. The half-yearly aggregate for recruits, four shoots of six, handicaps added, was won by Mr. F. Bush, who scored 257 points. D. M'Calley, jun., came second with 252 points, while G. Smith secured third place by making 247 points.

NOTES.

The tenth round of the A grade competition will be fired at Randwick next Saturday. The positions of the leading teams are as follows:—North Sydney, 8 wins, 1 defeat; Engineers and Naval Brigade, 7 wins, 2 defeats. On Saturday North Sydney will meet Parramatta, the Engineers will be opposed to the 1st A. I. Regiment, and Naval Brigade to Tramway.

Randwick B and Australian Rifles B, the runners-up in the B grade competition, will shoot off on Saturday next for the second prize of £3 3s.

The usual monthly meeting of the council of the National Rifle Association will be held on Wednesday evening, when several important matters will be discussed.

The annual meeting of the North Sydney Rifle Club was held in the Friendly Societies' Hall, Lane Cove-road, on Friday evening, and was largely attended. The annual report and balance-sheet were unanimously adopted. The following office-bearers were elected for 1906-7:—President, Mr. Dugald Thomson, M.P.; vice-presidents, Messrs. D. Fell, M.L.A., J. B. Thompson, A. C. [illegible], J. Matthews, F. Nock, H. Kirby, Captain Newmarch, V.D., and Lieutenant H. Dakin; captain, Mr. J. J. Mathison; hon. treasurer, Mr. A. Clark; hon. secretary, Mr. J. Campbell; assistant hon. secretary, Mr. George Paine; committee, Messrs. J. B. Thompson, J. Orr, J. R. S. Winfield, R. C. Broomham, A. Cleland; auditors, Messrs. A. Ferguson and E. M. Paine. It was decided to present the aggregate prizes at a smoke concert to be held within a few weeks.

The Western Suburbs Rifle Club held its annual meeting in the Petersham Town Hall. There was a large attendance of members. The club finished the year satisfactorily, financially and numerically, and a larger programme was carried out than was anticipated. The average at musketry was lower, owing to the number of recruits. The highest scorers were:—G. Daniel, 171; R. M. Holt, 166; C. Grant, 162; and W. Daniel, 160. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Captain, R. W. Holt; secretary, A. W. Henningham; treasurer, G. Daniels; committee, Messrs. A. V. Brown, W. Daniel, J. W. Adams, and C. Grant. The club intend holding a series of competitions with the Morris aiming tube during the evenings of the coming year. The following were the prize-winners for the quarter:—C. Grant, R. W. Holt, A. W. Henningham, W. R. H. Melville, F. H. Holt, L. H. Coates, W. Daniel, W. Leeson, W. Hillman, sen., M. M'Kinnon, J. Burness, S. Clancy, G. Daniel, and J. E. Foulis. Mr. W. Melville, on behalf of the members, presented Captain Holt with an illuminated address as a slight recognition of the esteem in which he is held.

KATOOMBA, Saturday.

The Katoomba and Penrith Rifle Clubs met on the local range to-day in the Blue Mountains competition. The match resulted in a win for the visitors by 70 points. The following are the principal scores:—Penrith: W. Lennox, 68; T. Smalley, 65; H. Messer, 64; W. S. Walker and L. Price, 63; N. Stewart, 64; D. H. Stewart, 61; G. Beattie, 59, S. Aubrey, 54; W. J. F. Neale, 54. Katoomba: E. P. Andrews, 67; H. Hicks, 64; A. Cooper, 62; Captain Crawshaw, 62; A. Acland; 57; H. Wootton, 54; J. E. Burns, 52.

COOMA, Saturday.

A rifle match, nine men a side, between Cooma and Queanbeyan Civilian Rifle Clubs was fired on the local range to-day, and resulted in a win for the home team by 51 points. Shooting took place at the 500 and 600 yds ranges. H. Beatty, of Queanbeyan, scored the "possible" at 500yds. Totals: Cooma, 269 and 222; Queanbeyan, 232 and 208. Best scores:—Cooma: Norris, 30, 33—63; Feilen, 34, 29—63; Scarlet, 32, 28—60; Evans, 33, 26—59. Queanbeyan: H. Beatty, 35, 26—61; J. Beatty, 29, 30—59; Earnshaw, 25, 27—52.

WINDSOR, Saturday.

The following are the prize-winners in the Windsor Rifle Club's quarterly competition:—W. Mortley (3), 367; R. Waters (4), 358; J. Gray (1), 357; J. W. Ross (5), 356; T. Cross (7), 341; J. Moses (1), 337; J. W. Chandler (5), 337; C. Mortley (5), 329; D. C. Howell-Price (7), 326; C. Simpson (5), 287.

Y.M.C.A.

MR. LYMAN PIERCE'S VISIT.

A large body of young men assembled in the Y.M.C.A. rooms last evening, after the Bible class, when occasion was taken to welcome Mr. Lyman Pierce, of Washington, who is en route for Melbourne, under engagement to the association there, as general secretary. Short addresses were delivered by Mr. J. J. Virgo, general secretary of the local associations; Mr. Barker, a member of the board of management of the Wellington Y.M.C.A.; Rev. W. A. Southwell, an ex-secretary of the Melbourne branch; and Mr. F. Cocks, on behalf of the board of directors of the local institution. Mr. Pierce was heartily received on rising to reply. He said he considered it a great honour to be invited to take charge of the Melbourne work. Referring to a remark made by one of the speakers concerning the warmth of feeling between America and Australia, he asked why should there not be a stronger tie of affection. Their alliance, although not published, was none the less real, and was due to their mutual loyalty. He was responding to a call from America, not because of talent; they had that in Sydney. Indeed, Mr. R. C. Morse had said, "Tell the brethren that in future America must look to Australia for men." So many young men were needed for the work in America that the training schools could not keep pace with the demands. The American associations had had experience, however, and if that experience were worth anything they were determined to give Australia the benefit of it. He referred to the great progress of the work in America, evidenced by this fact, that many large centres that 10 years ago had buildings and were doing work that was considered up to date, were now re-building, and remodelling their methods. Another reason that had induced him to come here upon Y.M.C.A. work was his loyalty to the Church of Christ. He believed he could not render it greater service. There was an unconscious cry from young men everywhere for help, and he knew of no more potent agency to help them than the Y.M.C.A.

Mr. A. Burley, secretary of the religious work committee of the association, gave Mr. Pierce a greeting to the Melbourne association.

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RUSSIAN ATROCITIES.

INDIGNATION MEETING.

Mr. R. Beards presided in the Synagogue-chambers yesterday afternoon at a meeting called by the N.S.W. Zionist League to protest against the cruelties that are being practised upon the Jews in Russia. Some 30 persons attended, and at times much difference of opinion was expressed. An apology was received from the Rabbi, who, while sympathising with the object of the meeting, declined an invitation in the following terms:—"I cannot co-operate in any action of a body which, like the political Zionists, desired to separate from the rest of Israel when help was sought for the victims of the former atrocities, and which refused to consider the foundation of a home of refuge for the persecuted brethren under the British flag."

Mr. D. Levy, M.L.A., expressed the opinion that the Rabbi should have been present, no matter what his opinions respecting Zionism. He also submitted that the British Government, the United States, and other great Powers would not intervene in Russia because the subjects of persecution were Jews.

Mr. Coleman P. Hyman suggested that much more would be achieved if the Christian population took more interest in the matter.

Dr. Arthur, M.L.A., said it was good of the British Government to offer the Territorial Branch of the Zionist League a tract of land in Uganda, but Africa was essentially a continent of the black races. Unless it was wished that the Jews should become merged with the native population there it would be nothing short of a crime to send them to a place where they might be exposed to similar dangers, or even worse, than at present. He saw no reason why agricultural settlements should not be formed in the northern parts of Australia, as had been successfully accomplished in other parts of the world. His idea was that in some way control should be secured over a large area in the Northern Territory, Western Australia, or Queensland, whereon numerous Jewish families could be settled. Something might be done in New South Wales itself. An appeal might be made to the wealthy Jewish population for funds, and something achieved in a practical way.

A resolution of indignation at the atrocities in Russia was unanimously agreed to, which it was further resolved to transmit to the "English Zionist Federation."

ORANGE CELEBRATION.

The combined Loyal Orange Lodges of Balmain, Nos. 33, 176, 312, and 322, held their annual combined religious service in the local Town Hall yesterday afternoon. Bro. W. H. Wilks, M.P., presided, and among those on the platform were Revs. Canon Archdall and W. W. Roger, Messrs. S. J. Law and W. Anderson, M.L.A., Bros. G. Hamer, C. Nash, D. Gray, T. Patterson, and T. Wran, W.Ms.; J. Howard, president Protestant Alliance Friendly Society; R. Pout, A. Glendenning, A. Dyer, P. Shepherd, P.Ms.; Sir Knight A. Black, W.M., 628; J. Cox, W.M., and others.

The chairman said the Orange lodges throughout Australia were never stronger or more determined to stand by their principles than they were at present. Addresses were also delivered by the Rev. Canon Archdall and Rev. W. W. Roger. A choir was under the direction of Mr. E. Lane, and Miss Holt, A.L.C.M., was accompanist. Solos were sung by Miss Ruby Neal and Mr. Norris. The collection amounted to £7 12s 6d. This sum will be given to the fund being raised for the Grose children, whose parents died of plague.

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MARRIAGES.

NICHOLL—PURCHASE.—July 2, 1904, at St. Michael's, Church of England, Flinders-street, Sydney, by the Rev. Dr. Jas. N. Manning, M.A., LL.D., Charles A., eldest son of the late Thomas W. Nicholl, of Sydney, to Annie C. Purchase, eldest daughter of Jas. F. Laurence, of Manly, and granddaughter of the late Colonel James Lister Laurence.

DEATHS.

BEAUMONT.—June 30, 1906, at his parents' residence, 140 Darlinghurst-road, Darlinghurst, Arthur Jack Beaumont, only son of Arthur Frederick and Ray Beaumont, aged 2 years and 7 months.

CARUGATI.—June 30, 1906, at his late residence, 71 Johnston-street, Annandale, Charles B. Carugati, butcher, late of Oxford-street, aged 73 years. R.I.P.

CLARKE.—July 1, 1906, at his residence, 1 Burton-street, North Sydney, Charles, the beloved husband of Margaret Clarke, aged 74 years.

GRICE.—July 1, Isabella Ruth (Bella), beloved daughter of John Grice, at her sister's residence, 24 Suffolk-street, Paddington, aged 20 years. At rest.

HOLMES.—July 1, at her late residence, Cleveland Cottage, Windsor, Mary, relict of the late Charles Holmes, in her 82nd year.

LESLIE.—June 24, at Nethercroft, West Wickham, Kent, England, Florence, wife of Andrew Leslie, aged 51 years. By cable.

REARDEN.—June 30, at his late residence, 96 Redfern-street, Redfern, Edwin Rearden, late of Railway Dep., in his 74th year.

RYAN.—June 30, at the Western Suburbs Hospital, Mrs. Ann Ryan, relict of the late Patrick Ryan, aged 73.

SMITH.—June 30, at his residence, 176 Albion-street, Surry Hills, James F. C. Smith (iron moulder), in his 70th year, after a long illness.

WEBSTER.—July 1, at his residence, 5 Bridge-road, Pyrmont, Robert Webster, dearly loved husband of Mary Webster, aged 55 years. At rest.

WILSON.—June 30, 1906, at his parents' residence, 12 Carlisle-street, Leichhardt, Rufus Rowland, late of Calcutta and Capetown, dearly beloved son of Annie and Robert Wilson, late of Fairview, Quirindi, aged 25 years. At rest.

IN MEMORIAM.

BEATTIE.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Hannah Beattie, who departed this life on July 2, 1905, at her residence, Monah, King-street, Newtown. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nichols.

BROWN.—In sad but loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Brown, who died at her residence, Iris-street, Moore Park, July 1st, 1905. Dearly loved and sadly missed by her loving son, daughter, and daughter-in-law, Alex, Louie, and Ethel Brown.

BROWN.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Brown, who departed this life July 1, 1905. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, James and Minnie Brown.

BROWN.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mary Brown, who departed this life on July 1, 1905, aged 77 years. Inserted by her loving son, Jack.

DAVIDSON.—In loving memory of our darling sister, Olive, who departed this life on July 1, 1905.

Ere sin could harm or sorrow fade,
Death came with friendly care,
The opening bud to heaven conveyed,
And bade it blossom there.

Inserted by her loving brother-in-law and sister, W. and E. Davidson, Roslyn-street, Darlinghurst.

DUCKWORTH.—In sad but loving remembrance of my dear wife and our mother, Mary Annie, who departed this life on July 2, 1904, aged 45 years. Dearly loved and sadly missed. Inserted by her loving husband and children, Lucy and Jesse.

DUCKWORTH.—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mary Annie Duckworth, who departed this life July 2, 1904, aged 46 years.

No pen can write, no tongue can tell
What our dear mother suffered when she was ill.
To God alone her pains were known,
He thought it best, and called her home.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Edith and Horace Thwait.

HORTON.—In loving memory of our dearly beloved mother, Charlotte Horton, who departed this life at Oxford-street, Sydney, on June 30, 1904. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, William and May Horton, jun., Barraba.

HUME.—In loving memory of our dearest mother, daughter, and sister, Lily Hume, who passed away on July 2, 1904. Not dead to us, we loved her dear. Inserted by her affectionate sons, William, Walter, Frank, and Kendall Hume; also her fond mother and sister, E. and L. Montgomery.

In loving remembrance of our dear mother, who died June 30, 1905.

We saw her suffer day by day,
It caused us bitter grief
To see her slowly pine away,
And could not give relief.
Not dead to us, we loved her dear,
Not lost, but gone before;
She lives with us in memory still,
And will for evermore.

Inserted by her son and daughter, George Hitchcock and Annie Paton.

In loving memory of our dear daughter and our sister Lavinia Cresswell, who died on July 1, 1899. Inserted by her loving mother, brothers, and sisters.

ISRAEL.—In loving memory of our dearly beloved mother, who departed this life July 2, 1902. Inserted by her loving children, Mr. and Mrs. A. Denning, Richard, Eliza, and Annie Israel. Dead, but not forgotten.

ISRAEL.—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Maria Israel, who departed this life the 2nd of July, 1902. God rest her dear soul. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Sydney and Dora Israel, and daughter, Mrs. M. Berg.

ISRAEL.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Maria Israel, who passed away on July 2, 1902. G.R.H.S. Inserted by her loving daughters, Mrs. Sterling, Mrs. Simons, and Mrs. Marguiere.

REIDY.—In loving memory of our dear son, Michael Joseph Reidy, who departed this life on July 2, 1904, at his parents' residence, Walker-street, Five Dock, in his 17th year.

A precious one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is still;
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

Inserted by his loving parents, Michael and Winifred Reidy.

MALONE.—In loving remembrance of Michael Malone, who died at Sydney July 2nd. Inserted by his loving wife and children.

MORTIMER.—In loving memory of Jane, beloved wife of Henry Mortimer, who died July 1, 1905, aged 38 years. In the midst of life we are in death. Inserted by her loving husband and sons.

O'KEEFE.—In loving memory of our darling Olive, who departed this life on July 1, 1905.

Lord, thou asked me to resign
What most I loved and prized—
It ne'er was mine,
I only yielded what was Thine.
Thy will be done.

Inserted by her loving father and mother.
Hush, Mama; it is only till He comes.

O'KEEFE.—In loving memory of our darling little sister, Olive, who departed this life on July 1, 1905. Peace, perfect peace. Inserted by her loving brothers and sisters, George, Ted, Topsy, and Annie.

O'KEEFE.—In loving memory of our darling baby, Olive, who fell asleep in Jesus July 2, 1905. Inserted by her loving sister Daisy.

A bud the Gardener gave us,
A pure and lovely child;
He gave it to our keeping,
To cherish undefiled.
And just as it was opening
To the glory of the day,
Down came the Heavenly Gardener,
And took our bud away.

O'KEEFE.—In loving memory of our darling little sister, Holly, who died July 1, 1905, aged 11 years.

Our sweet flower drooped and faded,
Our little voice has fled,
Our hearts are filled with sadness,
Our darling babe is dead.

Inserted by her loving sisters, Ivy and Nellie.

PEARCE.—In sad but loving memory of our dear mother, Louisa Pearce, who departed this life on July 2, 1905, at 106 Arthur-street, North Sydney. Inserted by her loving sons and daughters.

PEARCE.—In loving memory of our dear aunt, Louisa, who departed this life on July 2, 1905. Gone but not forgotten. Inserted by Mr. and Mrs. Pearce, E. West, and Alice Pearce.

POWELL.—In sad but loving memory of my dear daughter and sister, Mary Ann Powell, who departed this life July 2, 1905. Inserted by her loving mother, sister, and brother, Ralph and Irene Powell. Home papers, please copy.

REIDY.—In loving memory of our dear brother, Michael Joseph Reidy, who departed this life on July 2, 1904, at his parents' residence, Walker-street, Five Dock, in his 17th year. As the ivy clings to the oak, so our memory clings to thee. Inserted by his loving brothers and sisters, James, Joseph, Francis, Mary, Cissie, and May Reidy.

REIDY.—In loving memory of our dear brother, Michael Joseph Reidy, who departed this life on July 2, 1904, at his parents' residence, Walker-street, Five Dock, in his 17th year. Gone but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving sister and brother-in-law, Nell and Thomas Holley.

SHARP.—In loving memory of Hilda Armitage Sharp (nee Bailey), who died on July 2, 1905. Inserted by her loving parents and sisters.

SWADLING.—In sad but loving remembrance of my dearly beloved wife, Christina May Swadling, who departed this life July 2, 1904, aged 23. Inserted by her loving husband and children, Mabel, Hugh, Muriel. Gone, but not forgotten.

SWADLING.—In sad but loving remembrance of our dearly beloved sister May, who departed this life July 2, 1904. Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law, Maud and Jack.

SWADLING.—In loving remembrance of my dearly beloved aunt, Christina May Swadling, who departed this life July 2, 1904, aged 23. Inserted by her loving niece and nephew, Matilda and Charles Wilkinson. Leaves may wither, but memory never.

SWADLING.—In loving remembrance of my dearly beloved sister-in-law, Christina May Swadling, who departed this life July 2, 1904, aged 23. Inserted by her loving brother and sister-in-law, Abe and Esther Swadling. Gone, but not forgotten.

SWADLING.—In loving remembrance of my dearly beloved sister-in-law, Christina May Swadling, who departed this life July 2, 1904, aged 23. Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law, Matilda and Thomas Muras. Dearly loved, but sadly missed.

TAYLOR.—In loving memory of my dear wife and loving mother, Helen Taylor, who departed this life July 1, 1903. Inserted by her sorrowing husband and daughter, Joseph James Austin and Beatrice Mary.

TUMETH.—In affectionate remembrance of my beloved mother, Maria Tumeth, who departed this life July 2, 1905. So loved, so mourned. Inserted by her loving son, W. E. Tumeth.

RETURN THANKS.

Mrs. P. LAZARUS and SONS, of Isleworth, Victoria-avenue, Woollahra, return THANKS to their many friends for their letters, telegrams, cards, and floral tributes, and kind visits during their sad bereavement; also Dr. Muller and Sisters and nurses of private ward of St. Vincent's Hospital for their untiring and kind attention.

Mr. and Mrs. FLOWERDEW and Miss E. LUCAS desire to return their sincere THANKS to all kind friends for expressions of sympathy and floral tributes during their sad bereavement, especially Nurse Ryrie, Miss Morgan, and Mr. Mathers.

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OUR BUOYANT REVENUE.

That the Treasurer should feel gratified at the buoyant state of the public revenue during the financial year 1905-06, just closed, is not surprising. To but few of his predecessors in office has fallen the lot of having their estimates more thoroughly falsified by actual results. Instead of experiencing what in his Budget speech he described as "a very hard year on revenue," the State has recuperated with such extraordinary rapidity and completeness that all previous records have been eclipsed. In place of having to face a "terrible prospect" as he anticipated 12 months ago, he has now to face the pleasing one of having a substantial surplus to distribute. As a matter of fact Mr. Carruthers in his Budget took an altogether too pessimistic view. But the country has gained rather than lost by that pessimism. The Treasurer erred, it is true, but he erred on the side of caution, and his very error doubtless was a beneficial corrective when he came to deal with the expenditure side of his accounts. The actual revenue receipts for the 12 months which closed on June 30 are officially stated to have been £12,267,532, an excess of £930,614 over those of the previous year, and of £979,232 over the Treasurer's estimate. The following table gives a clear idea of how actual results have bettered the forecast:—

	Estimate.	Actual.	Excess of actual over estimate.
	£	£	£
Governmental	5,890,300	6,410,707	520,407
Business	5,398,000	5,856,825	458,825
	11,288,300	12,267,532	979,232

The Treasurer expected a falling off of £56,000 in the returns from the Commonwealth on top of a shrinkage of £154,000 during the preceding year. He did not count, however, upon the rapid recovery of the State as the result of the good seasons and the consequent increased spending power of the people. This is made clear by the fact that in place of the estimated decrease there has been an actual increase of no less than £213,700. It is evident that Mr. Carruthers was misled by Sir George Turner, the then Federal Treasurer, who looked for a material decline in the amount of revenue returnable to the States. He based his idea upon a falling off in the sugar duties, upon the fact that the Tariff Commission would probably recommend a repeal of duties on articles not manufactured in Australia, and increased duties on other articles, thus restricting importation. Then he looked for increased Federal expenditure in the way of the larger naval subsidy, transferred debts, election expenses, increase in the sugar bonus, increase in the cost of defence, expenditure on the High Commissionership, on the newly-created Arbitration Court, etc.

As a matter of fact Sir George Turner, in anticipating greater Federal promptitude than we have experienced in reality, warned us too far ahead of the event. The Tariff Commission has only so far reported in part and the old duties still remain, the State debts are untransferred, the High Commissioner is yet unappointed, and the Arbitration Court has not so far become a burden upon the Treasury. There is indeed perhaps now less likelihood than there was at the time Sir George Turner spoke of a revision in the tariff or of immediate transference of the State debts, but there is still every probability of the Federal Government finding other ways of increasing its expenditure, and thus reducing the surplus derivable in the future by the States from that source. This must continue to be the central point around which the finances of our own and the neighbouring States inevitably swing.

The State Treasurer also looked for a shrinkage of £125,000 in the Lands revenue over and above the falling off of £100,000 during the previous year. Here, too, he was fortunately over the mark, for the actual shrinkage has not quite reached £25,000, or £100,000 less than the Treasurer's estimate. The general prosperity has affected the revenue very materially in most of the leading items. Receipts from stamps, for instance, have swollen by £111,728, the Land Tax by £5979, and the Income Tax by £43,133, but we have to pass beyond what are described as the purely Governmental departments to the business undertakings to see where the really substantial increases have occurred. The railways and tramways together are accountable for no less than £507,956, or considerably more than one-half of the aggregate increase in revenue. The Sydney Harbour Trust, Metropolitan Water and Sewerage rates, have all shown more or less growth.

Under circumstances such as these a very substantial surplus was the least that could have reasonably been expected. With a revenue of £979,232 more than had been looked for and with no unforeseen calls in the way of extraordinary expenditure, it would have been poor financing indeed had there not been a large balance on the right side of the ledger. It is to be hoped that having now tasted the sweets of being able to point with something akin to pride to a handsome surplus after many years of deficits there will be no easing down. For a good many years to come, as Mr. Coghlan pointed out recently, it will be necessary for us to keep a watchful eye to the state of our credit abroad. We have large blocks of debt to renew or pay off. As the latter alternative is out of the question except on a very small scale, we have no option but to renew. A series of surpluses would enable us to carry out this operation at a cost much less onerous than would be the case if we only had accumulated deficiencies to show as the result of the administration of our public finances. Continued carefulness is therefore essential if we desire to face the future with other than grave misgivings, for we have inherited from the muddling Treasurers of the past a very delicate task, the performance of which will extend over quite a number of years to come.

THE BIRTHDAY HONOURS.

The list of birthday honours announced by cable on Saturday is interesting to us not only because of its mention of names well known in the Empire, but more particularly, of course, because of the Australians who have received distinction from the fountain of honour. Among the Australians in the list we include Sir Harry Rawson, G.C.B., who has won the confidence and esteem of the people of this State in a quite exceptional degree during his term as Governor. He has so closely entered into the life of the people that we regard him as one of ourselves, and the gratification he expressed at winning this object of naval officers' ambition during his period of active service is cordially shared by the people of New South Wales. The next most noticeable local recipient of royal notice is Sir William Owen, who is made Knight Bachelor. The honour comes to him on the completion of his work as Royal Commissioner in charge of the inquiry into the working of the Lands Department, to which he brought qualities of steady application and a patient determination to master the facts of the case. These points are invaluable either in a Judge or a Royal Commissioner. Mistakes may be made, but when ability is backed by application and a real effort to master facts and details the dangers of error are reduced to a minimum. Sir William Owen was recognised as a hard worker at the Bar. He holds high rank in public esteem as a Supreme Court Judge, and his work as Royal Commissioner speaks for itself. Sir John Madden has a similarly high position in public estimation as Chief Justice of Victoria, and his promotion to the honour of the Grand Cross of his Order will doubtless give pleasure in the neighbouring State. Lord Brassey's new distinction and the baronetcy conferred on Sir Robert L. Lucas-Tooth are not of such direct local interest, of course, but they have their representative value.

The new Companions of the Imperial Service Order include the name of Captain Neitenstein, whose excellent humanitarian services for many years are thus acknowledged. He has brought to the service of the public in two important positions special qualities, and shown himself progressive and adaptable in his ideas and prudent in applying them. Mr. Lockyer's work at the Customs is also acknowledged. Passing away from the Australians, it will be seen that Lord Cromer, the Minister in Egypt, has been placed among a distinguished company of Imperial servants of the first-class by admission to the very exclusive Order of Merit. No one who knows anything of the splendid work done in Egypt under his direction will criticise the bestowal of this particular honour. Mr. Leonard Courtney's peerage is an acknowledgment of long and able service to the Liberal cause. In periodical literature and in journalism he has done yeoman service, and he was for seven years an able Chairman of Committees in the House of Commons. Perhaps the peerage now conferred on him is in some way a recompense for non-inclusion in the present Liberal Ministry. While the Cabinet was rewarding services rendered, there is a certain interest in noticing, the work done by the maker of the political cartoons bearing the familiar name of "F. C. Gould" could hardly be overlooked. His continuous output of political satire in the form of these sketches, in which Mr. Chamberlain figured so quaintly and so conspicuously, did much to educate public opinion up to the Liberal reaction. Sir Luke Fildes is the painter of "The Widower" in our National Art Gallery.

THE ISOLATION OF DISEASE.

The facts which the President of the Health Department has given to the public respecting primary plague pneumonia will no doubt receive intelligent attention. Promptness of notification and immediate isolation are the first requisites, and in these respects public co-operation and that of medical men who are brought into touch with the disease can do much. It is not only the patient who must be isolated, but those who have been in contact with cases as well. The precaution is necessary on account of the highly contagious nature of this newly-developed form of plague. It will be seen that the attention of the profession is especially called to the need for care in cases of pneumonia in which the physical symptoms do not account for the patient's condition. If the presence of the disease is detected in time, and if the patient and "contacts" are promptly isolated, the visitation can be readily checked. "The manner in which it spreads, namely, by contagion," says Dr. Ashburton Thompson, "renders it much more easily checked" than is the case when the plague takes the bubonic form or that of blood poisoning. Everything, therefore, depends on vigilance and that co-operation between the public, the profession, and the Health Department which the President has invited.

We call attention to this advice from the medical authorities because we believe that the community is sufficiently intelligent and educated in these matters to be secure against any needless feeling of alarm. Panic is the danger of the ignorant. We passed through our own panicky stage some years ago, with sufficiently ridiculous results. The danger now is that people will be too careless, and fail to heed the medical counsel offered them. That would be the error of the opposite extreme. Safety in these matters lies in the middle course. We do well to distrust scares and needless alarms, but no one who values health can afford to ignore plain and common-sense precaution. It is not only the patient who has to be considered. In contagious cases of this kind the nurses, children, and neighbours have to be protected. Even medical practitioners are not immune. All, therefore, should work together to ensure that the simple precaution of isolation shall be carried into practical effect. In this we are but applying the rule and method which all intelligent communities adopt in the case of consumption and other communicable diseases. Prompt notification to the proper authorities, early isolation of patients and "contacts,"—these are the safeguards of the healthy. The business of the Health Department is to remind the public of such things, and not to foster causeless alarm in the minds of nervous people.

THE CRICKET CRISIS.

The agreement sketched between the Victorian Cricket Association and the Melbourne Cricket Club is a matter for the liveliest satisfaction. We learn that the Melbourne Cricket Club resumes the seat which it occupied on the Board of Control before the rupture, and that South Australia also joins the board. This is practically an admission that the Melbourne Cricket Club's attempt to capture the control of Australian cricket has failed, and that it is content now to have that voice in the management which was cheerfully assigned to it in recognition of its past brilliant services to the game. It is superfluous to inquire whether or not this repentance has been caused by the strong and proper attitude of the New South Wales Cricket Association in suspending the disloyal players, or by the failure of the attempt to secure the Sydney Cricket Ground, or by the unexpected action of the trustees of the Melbourne Cricket Ground. Suffice it to say that by surrendering even at this late hour the Melbourne Cricket Club has performed not the least of its services to Australian Cricket. It should never have seceded from the Board of Control or stooped to the tactics which marked its bid for sovereignty. That South Australia also comes in was only to be expected, inasmuch as she was sure to do what the Melbourne Cricket Club directed.

It will follow naturally on what has been mentioned that a cable is to be immediately sent by the Board of Control to the Marylebone Cricket Club announcing that the schism has been healed, that South Australia and the Melbourne Cricket Club have returned to the fold, and asking that a representative English team should be sent in the coming season. The Melbourne Cricket Club is to send another announcing its co-operation. What we have been fighting for all along is that the Board of Control should take the initiative—not this association or that club. The Victorian Association does not represent Australian cricket any more than the Melbourne Cricket Club does, and we should say the same if it was our own association which took it upon itself to act as the mouthpiece of Australian cricket. Each of these bodies is represented now on the Board of Control; and it is the general board, not one or two of its constituents, that must speak with authority. But all this may now be accepted as the natural result of an amicable understanding. Bygones are to be bygones, and Australian cricket will take a new lease of life. Not only will the welcome to an English team be specially cordial, since action and reaction are always equal, and the interest in the game will thus become warmer than it ever has been, but the States will individually benefit. Interstate cricket will find an added zest; and within the States themselves the impetus given by the new agreement will be very real. Altogether Australia is to be congratulated on the latest development; and if the lifting of the suspension upon our best players follows as a matter of course, as we may assume it will, New South Wales Wales will be forgiven if she considers herself the principal gainer.

State Finances.—The Premier has had prepared through the Intelligence Department for circulation in London a rather comprehensive statement of the finances of New South Wales. Dealing first with the increase of population, it is shown that last year the increase was 2.4 per cent., as against an average of 0.88 per cent. in the United Kingdom, 1.04 in Canada, 1.72 in the United States, 0.19 in France, and 1.28 in Germany. Emphasis is laid upon the enormous production of the State. For the year just closed the primary products, together with the value added to them by processes of manufacture, reached about £45,000,000, which is greater per head of the population than can be shown by any other country. The State revenue for the year is set down at "nearly £12,000,000 sterling, exclusive of £1,500,000, which goes to the Federal Government for the services of New South Wales that are now administered by that authority." It is pointed out that of the public debt of £83,000,000 a sum of £45,000,000 has been spent on railway and tramways. The railways returned a net revenue this year of £1,910,000, equal to 4.4 per cent. on the capital of £43,700,000, and the tramways gave a surplus of £40,000. On the water and sewerage works of the city about £9,000,000 had been spent, and this service not only pays its working expenses and interest, but during the past two years gave a surplus of £110,000. The statement often made that the cost of government in New South Wales is very high is, it is pointed out, misleading, inasmuch as out of an expenditure of £11,500,000, £5,500,000 is an expenditure in working the railways and water boards, leaving the cost of government about £6000,000, which includes the payment of £400,000 to the sinking fund for the reduction of the debt.

The State Revenue.—The Treasury returns issued on Saturday night show the revenue for June was £1,116,136, an increase of £22,400 as compared with June, 1905. For the financial year the receipts totalled £12,267,532, as against £11,336,918 for 1904-5. The chief increases for the 12 months were:—Commonwealth returns, £213,700; stamps, £111,728; land tax, £5979; income tax, £43,133; pilotage, harbour dues, etc., £11,390; fees of office, £6607; country towns water supply (interest), £3144; Advances to Settlers Board, £5271; Centenary Park land sales, £6924; railways and tramways, £559,956; Sydney Harbour Trust, £14,779; metropolitan water rates, £6713; metropolitan sewerage rates, £6820; and Hunter district water rates, £5338.

The Politics of the Farmers.—The following paragraph, taken from a statement of the financial and commercial position of New South Wales, prepared at the instance of the Premier for circulation in London, is rather significant:—"There is every evidence that agriculture is destined, in the eastern portion of the State, to displace the pastoral industry. It is likely to be fruitful of many changes. In the first place, it will enable the country to carry a larger population, and will increase the production of the lands they occupy, contributing very largely to the traffic of the railways, and generally bringing about what is termed 'closer settlement,' with all its accompanying advantages. The influence on political life of this change will also be marked, for there will be a larger number of men with a stake in the country under agricultural development than under pastoral occupation, and the man with a stake in the country is generally a steadying influence in politics. He is not likely to be a reactionary or ultra-conservative, nor is he inclined to be revolutionary or socialistic. The farming class largely holds the opinions which are moulded by the fireside in the little homes scattered through the land. They study carefully political affairs, with a desire for reform, tempered by the moderating influence of responsibility."

The Coming Wool Sales.—Mr. Francis Bacon writes as follows:—"I think it is prudent to once more draw the attention of sheep-owners to the fact that up to the present no attempt has been made to limit the offerings of wool in Sydney for the coming season. I feel absolutely certain that unless something is done in this direction the congestion of sales, which proved so detrimental to the interests of owners last December, will be much greater this year, and there is a possibility of a serious fall resulting, which being cabled home might bring about an even more serious decline in the home markets. As I have before pointed out, the Melbourne brokers have already limited the quantity to be offered in that market for the coming season, and the reasons for limiting the quantities to be offered and extending the selling season are certainly much greater here, where more than double the number of bales are offered. This is not altogether a matter for the selling brokers. The pressure put on them by their clients is in many cases too great to be resisted, and I strongly urge that before the bulk of wool-growers leave Sydney some steps should be taken to strengthen the hands of the brokers in the way I have suggested. It has lately occurred to me that in view of the threatened congestion of shearing labour it might be well in New South Wales to adopt to some extent the practice of shearing sheep from March to December that obtains in Queensland. If shearing started in the far western districts in March, the shearers would get practically nine months' employment, and this would be an inducement to many men to become professional shearers. By going to Queensland to shear in January and then to the western parts of New South Wales, they would have practically continuous work. If this were carried out, it would also spread supplies over three-fourths of the year, and would keep wool-buyers going all through the slack season. Some Queensland clips sold about six weeks ago in Sydney, having been shorn in March-April, met a splendid market, bringing from 13½d to 14½d per lb. in the grease, and from 22d to 26d scoured. This would have the effect of preventing the congestion of wool between October and Christmas, which, as I have previously contended, and still do contend, is detrimental to the best realisation of our staple product."

Free Education and Socialism.—Speaking at the ceremony of blessing the memorial stone of a new Roman Catholic school at Lewisham yesterday, Dr. Donovan, K.C., said it was a socialist cry that education should be secular, compulsory, and free. Roman Catholics would not agree to secular education, and there had been no public agitation for the abolition of the fees paid in Public schools. Why, he asked, should they be abolished, when they kept in the minds of parents a sense of their responsibilities? If the fees were done away with, it would be the beginning of full-fledged socialism in the Public schools.

Shipping Commission's Report.—The report of the Shipping Commission was the chief topic of conversation in shipping circles on Saturday. It formed the subject of much adverse criticism. One prominent gentleman said it was absurd, and was entirely unsupported by evidence. The commission, he said might have saved itself the trouble of calling witnesses, and also saved the time of witnesses. "I have only one comment to make," said Mr. A. Gordon Wesche, acting superintendent in Australia of the P. and O. Company, "and that is with regard to the cost of steamers. The report states that the cost of eight vessels, each 2000 tons larger than the Marmora and Mongolia, would be £3,000,000. Five vessels of the Mongolia or Marmora class cost us £2,500,000. All I can say is that the Commonwealth will be getting their steamers remarkably cheap."

Rockdale and Arncliffe Stations.—The Railway Commissioners, in reply to the complaints of the local council regarding inconveniences at Arncliffe and Rockdale stations, state that at the latter station passengers leaving down trains have the choice of three means of egress, viz., by the gate at the southern end of the platform, through which the passengers for the tram pass, by way of the overhead bridge, and through the waiting-room in the centre of the station. The greatest number of passengers passing over the bridge from one train during the time the station was under observation was 92, which number would, of course, be distributed over the various cars on the train, and would not reach the gates at the same time, so that there should be no cause for complaint. At Arncliffe the only outlet was by way of the overhead bridge, and there would appear to be little difficulty in passengers leaving the platform. It would not be practicable to collect tickets if both gates at the foot of the bridge were thrown open, as passengers could then pass through seven or eight abreast, and thus prevent the officials from collecting all the tickets. The suggestion by the council to collect the tickets on the train was discarded as being unworkable. At Burwood, Summer Hill, Newtown, and other stations, where the amount of passengers was far in excess of Arncliffe, only one entrance was provided, and no complaints were made. At a meeting of the council when this letter was read, Alderman Willington said the difficulty was caused by the two trains (up and down) arriving at Arncliffe almost simultaneously. He felt safe in stating that since the bridge had been built over 100 people had missed trains. Further representations are to be made by the council to the Commissioners.

Trial Trip of the Brundah.—A cablegram from Glasgow was yesterday received by Mr. R. A. Bell, the general manager of the North Coast S.N. Company, Limited, stating that the new steamer Brundah, which has been specially designed and built for the passenger and cargo trade between Sydney and the Richmond River, was taken for her official trial trip on the Clyde on Friday afternoon last, with "entirely satisfactory results." It is anticipated that the Brundah will be ready to sail from Glasgow for Sydney on Wednesday next, and a call will be made en route at Durban, South Africa. Captain J. J. Simpson, who brought out the company's steamer Kyogle, has been entrusted with the command of the Brundah, which is expected to arrive at Sydney in the early part of September. The Richmond River, owing to great masses of sunken timber, is at present in a deplorable condition, and the hope is expressed that the authorities will take steps to render the river navigable before the Brundah, which is a valuable vessel, commences running in the trade.

The English Mails.—The R.M.S. Mooltan arrived at the Semaphore at 11.40 a.m. on Saturday, and resumed her voyage at 5 p.m. for Melbourne. The Sydney portion of her mails bearing the date of London, June 1, was despatched overland from Adelaide by the express on Saturday afternoon, and will be available for delivery in Sydney to-day.

The Warung Re-floated.—The steam tug Warung, which foundered in the eastern channel as a result of fouling the anchor of the steamer Guthrie on Friday week last, was raised on Saturday morning, and beached at Watson's Bay, near the Palace Hotel. The steamer Swansea is standing by and a diver was yesterday engaged in examining the Warung. A great rent in the side of the tug will be patched, and she will then be pumped out, and towed into dock for permanent repairs.

Dust and Ophthalmia.—A correspondent, "Indignant Citizen," complains in no unmeasured terms of the unsatisfactory condition of the Parramatta-road, as far as Leichhardt, which he says is at times inches deep in dust. While the city streets he points out are swept every night, and well watered during the early morning, the Parramatta-road is almost entirely neglected in this respect, save for an occasional visit by a tram watering-engine. "If," our correspondent remarks, "the inconvenience arising from the plague of dust were all, it would be bad enough, but when it is remembered that ophthalmia is frequently the result of the almost blinding showers of pulverised macadam met with along this much-used thoroughfare, the case becomes most serious." He contends that the neglect of this road by the municipalities concerned is a strong argument in favour of the extension of city rule in the direction of a Greater Sydney.

Philharmonic Society.—Mr. R. B. Barton, hon. secretary of the Sydney Philharmonic Society, writes, in answer to the complaints made by "Subscriber" in these columns on Friday, that his statements are largely incorrect, and that there is no preference shown to any member or subscriber in the issue of coupons or at the plan. All, he says, have the right to book 12 seats on one coupon, and it is reasonable to allow that one person may book for several who desire to sit together at the concert. The substitution of the queue for the coupon system would be found inconvenient for ladies. No seats are booked prior to the plan being opened to subscribers as alleged. The only exception is in the eastern gallery, where a few seats are marked off for invited guests. Finally, Mr. Barton deems that it would have been wiser for "Subscriber" to have had his little growl with the officer in charge of the plan rather than run the risk of doing the society damage by publicly asserting what turns out to be not according to fact. As to the loss of support by reason of a little inconvenience sometimes incurred by trying to get No. 1 coupon, the hon. secretary believes the society has enduring claims far beyond any excellence or otherwise in its booking arrangements. A correspondent, "D," who was a subscriber to the Philharmonic Society for many years, says that owing to the trouble of getting seats and the fact that the best positions were invariably blue-crossed on the seat plan, however early one was, he determined a year ago to drop his subscription. He adds:—"I would suggest two ways of getting over the difficulty. The first is that after accommodation for life members has been provided seats should be allotted to each member for the year in order of payment of subscription in January. The second is that after making provision for life members the remaining seats should be offered at auction, with a minimum of 10s 6d per chair."

Home for Consumptives.—The Premier, accompanied by Dr. Ashburton Thompson (President of the Board of Health), Sir Philip Sydney Jones, Dr. Beattie, Mr. Brodie (Inspector-General of Charities), and Mr. Furber (Chief Surveyor of the Lands Department), on Saturday inspected a number of sites in the vicinity of Waterfall, on the South Coast railway, in search of one suitable for a home for consumptives. The main features sought for were a good altitude and accessibility. Mr. Carruthers says the party went over a good deal of country, and saw a number of places. Some of the areas inspected seemed to be quite suitable, and the Premier thinks little difficulty will be experienced in making a final selection later on.

Northern Suburbs Hundred.—The house-to-house collection inaugurated last year in aid of the funds of the Royal North Shore Hospital, and known as the "Northern Suburbs Hundred," has been repeated this year with satisfactory results. The idea, which originated with Mrs. T. B. Dibbs and Mrs. C. J. Royle, was taken up by a large body of willing workers, and last year the funds of the institution benefited thereby to the extent of several hundred pounds. This year the same two energetic ladies, assisted by lady residents in each of the centres of population from Mosman to Hornsby, have done remarkably good work, and when a number of books were handed in on Friday it was found that a sum of upwards of £400 had been collected. This does not represent the total amount of the effort, as it has been decided to continue the work for another month. The idea is a good one, designed to reach those sympathisers with the institution who cannot afford to become annual subscribers, but are yet willing to give their mite towards so deserving a cause.

Egg-laying Competition.—The second month of the "Sydney Morning Herald" and "Sydney Mail" egg-laying competition concluded on Saturday evening last, with results much in excess of those of May. The 60 pens of fowls in the 30 days produced a total of 5063 eggs, an average of 84.48 per pen, the May average being slightly under 70. Mr. G. Wright wins the monthly prize for the greatest number of eggs, his six Black Orpingtons laying just one egg short of 12 dozen in the month. Mr. Casey follows with 11 dozen, produced by Wyandottes, Miss Kemmis's White Leghorns being but three short of this number. The highest figures for the two months are:—Mr. G. Wright's Black Orpingtons, 249; Mrs. Blacklow's Black Orpingtons, 235; and Miss Kemmis's White Leghorns, 234; a number of pens following close up.

A Confidence Trick That Failed.—Information has been received from Butte, Montana, U.S.A., of a confidence trick which failed at the last moment. An Australian confidence man produced to a number of influential residents papers which purported to show that he had been left a fortune of something like £24,000, made up of bank deposits, city and suburban property, and a gold mine. Local capitalists were very much tempted by the offers he made in consideration of assistance to enable him to get to New South Wales, but some more cautious than the rest wired to Sydney to find out if any person of the name had died, leaving a large sum of money. The man did not wait for this, but bolted incontinently, leaving his would-be backers at some loss. The papers upon which the confidence man relied to induce the Butte people to finance him were scarcely calculated to deceive the ordinarily acute Yankee. They consisted of a form of power of attorney allegedly said by and in favour of a well-known firm of Sydney solicitors. With it was a covering letter, with a somewhat quaint signature. Another letter was from an alleged sister, informing him of the supposed legacy. Altogether it is surprising, on the flimsy evidence produced, that the man could have induced speculators to go the length they did in financing him. The name was submitted to the police authorities on Saturday, but they knew nothing of the man or his alleged legacy.

Prisoners' Aid Association.—The fifth annual report of the Prisoners' Aid Association of N.S.W., which was unanimously adopted at the meeting on Friday, shows that during the year applications had been received from 400 persons (360 males and 40 females) for assistance on their release from prison, and the 38 applications that were under consideration at the end of the previous year had also been dealt with, making a total of 438. Of these, 149 were first offenders, 68 had been in gaol a second time, and 221 had three or more convictions recorded against them. Very careful consideration was given to each application by the council, with the result that out of the 438 only 54 were actually refused. His Excellency Sir Harry Rawson, G.C.B., presided at the meeting, and the speakers included Hon. C. G. Wade, Mr. Justice Pring, Archbishop Kelly, Mr. W. A. Holman, M.L.A., Mr. Hugh Dixson, and Miss Rose Scott. The retiring members of the council were re-elected.

The fifth annual meeting of the Jewish Literary and Debating Society of Sydney was held in the Synagogue schoolroom on Thursday evening. There was a good attendance. Mr. Coleman P. Hyman occupied the chair. The report and cash statement were of a satisfactory character, and showed that good work had been done.

The ordinary monthly meeting of the Linnean Society of New South Wales was held last Wednesday evening. Mr. Thos. Steel, F.C.S., F.L.S., president, occupied the chair. Papers were read by Mr. Thomas Sloane, by Mr. R. T. Baker, F.L.S., and by Dr. Greig-Smith. Mr. Griffith Taylor, B.Sc., B.E., Dr. E. S. Stokes, Mr. A. G. Hamilton, and Dr. Chapman contributed to the evening's discussion on various learned matters.

On Friday, June 22, a concert was held in the School of Arts, Beecroft, in aid of the mission zone by the pupils of Ravenhurst College, of which Miss Elise Sampson is the principal. An attractive programme was presented, and was cordially received by a large and appreciative audience.

We are requested to draw attention to an advertisement elsewhere in reference to E. Way and Co.'s July sale, which starts to-day.

The Rev. J. W. Holmes will lecture under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. to-morrow night on the subject, "An evening with the cannibals of New Guinea." The lecture will be illustrated by lantern views. On Thursday next the first of a series of finance and commerce lectures will be held on "Banking" by Mr. G. M. Allard, secretary of the Institute of Bankers.

We have received the June number of the "Australasian Photo-Review."

TO-DAY.

Annual Dinner and Smoke Concert, Old Newingtonians' Union: St. James's Hall, 8 p.m.
Lecture by Dr. E. Ludowici, "The Children": Town Hall, 8 p.m.
Women's Political Educational League: Lecture by Mr. E. W. O'Sullivan, M.L.A., School of Arts, 8 p.m.
Kensington Bookmakers' Association. Meeting, Queen's Hall, 8 p.m.
Protestant Hall: Debate, "Did Jesus rise from the Dead?" 8 p.m.
Slaters' Union: Meeting, Trades Hall, 8 p.m.
Tailors' Union: Meeting, Trades Hall, 8 p.m.
Union Meetings, Trades Hall, 8 p.m.: Slaters, Tailors, and Butcher Shop Employees.
Meeting of Archie Little's friends: Sutton's American Bar, 8 p.m.
Centenary Hall: Fisk Jubilee Singers, 8 p.m.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "The Little Michus," 8 p.m.
Theatre Royal: "In Sight of St. Paul's," 8 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville, 8 p.m.
Criterion Theatre: Czerny, 8 p.m.
Palace Theatre: Spencer's Theatrescope, 8 p.m.
Lyceum Hall: Macdermott's Biograph, 8 p.m.
Cyclorama: "Battle of Gettysburg," Illusions, Cinematograph, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. The last days.
Clay's Vaudeville Company: Town Hall, Parramatta, 8 p.m.
Bohemian Dramatic Company: Hay-street, "The Fatal Ring," 8 p.m.
Skating: Exhibition-building, 10 a.m., 2.30 p.m., and 8 p.m.
The Athenaeum: Vaudeville, 3 p.m. and 8 p.m.
Zoological Gardens: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Kensington Races: First Event, 2.15 p.m.

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor and Miss Rawson gave a dinner party at Cranbrook, Rose Bay, on Saturday night. The following were present:—The Right Honourable Sir Frederick, Lady, and Miss Darley, the Hon. C. A. Lee and Mrs. Lee, the Hon. H. C., Mrs., and the Misses Dangar, the Consul-General for Japan and Madame Iwasaki, Brigadier-General and Mrs. Gordon, Mr. H. S. Darley, the A.D.C. to General Gordon, Lieutenant H. C. Rawson, R.N., A.D.C., Mr. Wyatt Rawson, Captain Leslie Wilson, A.D.C.

His Excellency and Miss Rawson will give a dinner party at Cranbrook to-day. To-morrow his Excellency will be present at the Fresh Air League ball in the Town Hall. On Wednesday next his Excellency and Miss Rawson will attend the meeting of the Sydney Mission to Seamen at St. James's Hall at 8 p.m. On Thursday next Miss Rawson will preside at an executive meeting of the National Council of Women, and in the evening his Excellency and Miss Rawson will give a dinner party at Cranbrook. On Friday next Miss Rawson will attend a lecture to be held under the auspices of the Sydney University Extension Board. On Saturday his Excellency and Miss Rawson will give a dinner party at Cranbrook.

The Postmaster-General, Mr. Chapman, who attended the Postal Congress at Rome, was a passenger by the R.M.S. Mooltan, which arrived at Adelaide on Saturday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Chapman and Mr. Oxenham, and was met on board by the Deputy Postmaster-General. The party landed, and proceeded to Melbourne by the express on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. G. H. Reid left Sydney last night for Queensland, for the purpose of delivering addresses in connection with the approaching Federal elections. He will be absent from New South Wales for about a month. The leader of the Opposition will speak at Gympie on July 4, Maryborough on July 5, and at Bundaberg on the following day. The itinerary provides for a speech at Brisbane on July 23, while the programme for Ipswich, Toowoomba, Warwick, and Stanthorpe has yet to be arranged.

Major E. G. H. Morris, who has been appointed to the command of the Artillery of the Commonwealth, left the Nikko Maru at Brisbane.

Mr. Robt. Singleton, formerly chief accountant and a member of the Board of Advice of the Victorian Railways, is a passenger by the Nikko Maru from Japan. He has been absent three years, during which time he visited England, the Continent, and Japan.

Mr. Alfred John Stevenson, deputy district grand master in charge, was installed as district grand master of English Freemasons in Queensland on Saturday evening. The installing officer was Mr. H. Courtney Luck.

Mr. C. Paull, who recently retired from the position of stationmaster at Darling Harbour, after being 30 years in that position and 41 years altogether in the railway service, was entertained at the A.B.C. Cafe on Saturday night by the staff of Darling Harbour, and made the recipient of a purse of sovereigns and an illuminated address. He has been succeeded by Mr. Horan, who was formerly the assistant stationmaster.

Mr. E. G. Stenberg, chief compiler of general statistics in the Western Australian Registrar-General's office, has been appointed chief electoral officer of that State.

In connection with the regrading scheme of the Postal Department, a number of changes and transfers of postmasters in the western suburbs has been announced to take place as soon as the necessary adjustments can be made. Amongst them are the following:—Mr. H. Matthews, P.M. at Burwood, to be P.M. at Granville, after over 30 years' residence in Burwood; Mr. G. Lobsey, P.M. at Tenterfield, is to be P.M. at Burwood; Mr. H. Robinson, P.M. at Summer Hill, is to go to the Glebe office, and be replaced by Mr. R. Fetherston, of the Ashfield P.O., which office is to be filled by Mr. E. W. Powell, P.M. at George-street North; Mr. C. G. A. Doutty, P.M. at Homebush, who has been ill for some time, is to be transferred to Randwick, and be replaced by Mr. F. Burgis, P.M. of Camperdown; Mr. A. C. Atkinson, P.M. at Petersham, is to be transferred to Rozelle.

Mr. Joseph Coulter, the superintendent of the Asylum for Destitute Children, at Randwick, has just completed 35 years' official service at that institution. His first appointment dates back as far as July 1, 1871. Up to date, 5195 children have passed through the institution (3026 boys and 2169 girls), of which number 2137 have been apprenticed throughout the State. Mr. Coulter has filled for 21 years his present position of superintendent, which carries with it the duties of secretary and accountant. At the beginning of last year he received six months' leave of absence, and he took advantage of the opportunity to visit Europe and America. Of all the honorary office-bearers and directors engaged in the management of the institution at the time of his first appointment, there is only one living, and that gentleman is Mr. Henry Clarke, of Randwick.

Mr. James Cochran, a very old Australian, has died in London. He was born at Coleraine, near Belfast, in Ireland, about 1826. He came to Australia with his brother, Mr. John Cochran, in the forties, and subsequently bought "Widgiewa," with the late Sir Samuel Wilson, in 1861. He afterwards bought out his partner, and eventually sold the property to Mr. J. S. Horsfall, in 1887. A few years afterwards Mr. James Cochran left for England, where he has since been living at 38 Hyde Park Gate, London.

Mrs. J. W. Marcroft, of Granville, who had been to the Richmond River on a health trip, died on the return voyage in the Tomki. It appears that shortly after the vessel left the wharf, Mrs. Marcroft decided to go to her cabin and retire before the rough water was reached. On the stewardess visiting the cabin later on, she was surprised to find Mrs. Marcroft dead, having apparently passed away while in a fainting fit. Mr. Marcroft, her husband, who is a foreman at the Clyde Engineering Works, journeyed to Sydney on Friday to meet his wife, only to be told that she had died on the voyage. The deceased lady was a prominent worker in the Granville Baptist congregation.

Mr. John Sawers, who had been a leading figure in the financial and commercial world of Australia for 40 years, died suddenly at his residence, East St. Kilda, yesterday morning. Three years ago he began to fail in health, and last September he resigned his position as superintendent of the Bank of Australasia. Mr. Sawers, who was born at Stirling, in Scotland, was in his 65th year. He joined the Sydney branch of the Bank of Australasia on his arrival in Sydney in 1865. He succeeded Mr. E. S. Parkes as superintendent in 1887, at a time when speculation and inflation throughout Australia were becoming rampant. Throughout the trying time that followed, Mr. Sawers received the hearty approval of the London board, when he adhered strenuously to the views of the founders of the bank that the role of the institution was to conduct purely banking business.

LORD NORTHCOTE AT FORBES.

FORBES, Saturday.

The town was en fete yesterday in honour of the arrival of the Governor-General, Lord Northcote. All the public buildings and stores had been decorated. There were numberless garlands and flags in various parts of the town. The vice-regal party was received at the railway station by the Mayor, Alderman R. E. B. Reymond, and aldermen and leading citizens. A procession was formed, composed of the Mounted Police, the Forbes town band, the Foresters, the Calarie branch of Oddfellows, and the school children, while the local half-squadron of Australian Light Horse formed a guard of honour. After the presentation of the addresses at the Town Hall his Excellency visited the Public school, the hospital, and other places of interest. In the evening members of the Masonic Lodge presented an illuminated address to Lord Northcote. Afterwards his Excellency attended the Musical Society's concert, at which Miss Sadie Haseltine, of Mudgee, was the chief performer. A children's picnic was held at South Circle Park, and was attended by more than 1000 persons.

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THE COMMONWEALTH.

BUTTER GRADING.

COMMERCE ACT REGULATIONS.

AN EXPLANATION.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTERS.)

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The Minister of Customs made an interesting statement to-day regarding the purport of the Commerce Act regulations concerning butter. He said: "Queensland people were afraid of the fact that Victorian goods are graded in a fashion which might prejudice them. The regulations under the Commerce Act relating to butter are divided into three subdivisions, as follows:—Superfine, 94 points; No. 1 class, over 86 points to 93 points; No. 2, between 75 and 86 points; No. 3, below 75 points. In Queensland there is no superfine grade, but there is a No. 1 grade, which ranges from 85 to 92.5; therefore Queensland first grade will to all intents and purposes coincide with the first grade of the Commonwealth, and if they can produce superfine butter it will be graded under the Commonwealth system as such, and, therefore, there should be no difficulty with Queensland butter."

As to the methods to be employed by the officials, the Minister said: "I am going to ask each of the States to allow their officers to do the work of grading, and certificates supplied by those officers will be accepted as certificates under the Act. I don't want to appoint any new officers if I can avoid it, and I hope those officers will come to an understanding as to a basis of butter classification. There will be no brand placed upon butter boxes except the Commonwealth brand, and the number will correspond with the number on the certificate. Duplicates of these certificates will be issued, which will be for the use of buyers abroad. The certificates will probably go to the Agents-General in London when the butter is shipped to England."

The question was raised as to how far the State Acts will become operative, and Sir William Lyne thinks that where a State provides a standard below that of the Commonwealth the latter will override the State, but he is doubtful as to whether the Commonwealth will also override any State Act providing for a higher standard.

The regulations will be published next week. Those relating to exports will come into force forthwith, but those relating to imports are not to be enforced for six months.

Butter will be judged according to the following scale:—50 points for flavour, including aroma; 30 for texture, including body, grain, and moisture; 20 for condition, including salting, packing, and colouring.

RUSSIAN CONSULATE.

It is notified by the Federal Government that the business of the Consulate-General for Russia in Australia is now under the direction of Mr. Eugene Lucciardi, Vice-Consul for France, in Melbourne.

NEW GUINEA PUBLIC SERVICE.

A fully qualified licensed surveyor, unmarried, is required for British New Guinea. The steamer fare of the successful applicant will be paid by the Papuan Government from Melbourne, Sydney, or Brisbane. The salary attached to the position is £400 per annum.

FEDERAL STATISTICS.

The staff of the new department is now advertised for. A chief compiler at £310 to £400 a year will be the principal officer. Applicants, in addition to general practical knowledge of statistical work, will be required to possess knowledge of the theory, technique, organisation, and bibliography of international statistics, and of the general methods of the graphical representation of statistics. Two compilers at £310 to £400 and three at a maximum of £310 have work required of them described as follows:—"Compilation of statistics relating to trade and customs, highways, waterways, railroads, inland and maritime navigation, postal and telegraph services, etc; industrial statistics, agricultural statistics, statistics relating to pastoral and farming industries, forestry, pisciculture, water conservation, finance, insurance, population, public charities, etc; cadastral and general statistics relating to land tenure, to alienations, to buildings, etc.; and of statistics relating to public education of all grades, to fine arts, museums, etc., to justice, politics, criminology, naval and military forces, etc.; statistics relating to foreign industries, trade and commerce of importance to the Commonwealth. The remaining officers to form the staff are one correspondence clerk and one records clerk at £185 and £235, one stenographer and typist at £120 to £160, and a messenger. The compiler of statistics relating to foreign trade and industry, etc., will be required to possess an accurate and speaking knowledge of French and German.

SYDNEY POST OFFICE LIFTS.

In regard to a complaint recently made by a correspondent of the "S. M. Herald" concerning the elevators at the Sydney Post Office, the central administration has received a report from the Deputy Postmaster-General stating that the Martin-place lift cannot be used until the alterations being carried out by the State Public Works Department are completed. Further alterations are to be made in connection with the Pitt-street lift before it can be brought into operation. The Home Affairs Department has provided for an expenditure of £115 for improvements to the various lifts in the building.

TRADE MARKS OFFICE.

The central office of the Trade Marks is gazetted as at the Rialto, Collins-street, Melbourne, with a sub-office at the Customs Office.

RURAL INDUSTRIES ENCOURAGEMENT.

A bill is to be considered by the Cabinet during the forthcoming week for payment of bounties in connection with rural industry products.

PURITY OF ELECTIONS.

he chief Federal electoral officer is issuing the following circular for public information: —Provision has been made in the Commonwealth Electoral Act, as amended last session, by which unscrupulous persons obtaining electoral forms from persons claiming enrolment under the Act, and withholding the same without just cause of excuse, and so interfering with the due enrolment of persons concerned, render themselves liable to a penalty not exceeding £50. The provisions of the Act relating to postal voting have also been rendered more stringent, in order to guard against improper use being made of the right enjoyed by the public of voting by post. All applications for postal votes (which must be filed by the divisional returning officer) will, after declaration of the poll, be open to inspection by the public until an election can no longer be questioned. Any elector making a false statement, or any person inducing a person to make a false statement, in an application for a postal vote, is liable to a penalty of £50, or one month's imprisonment. The responsibilities of witnesses are clearly defined in the amended legislation, and are fully set forth on the form of postal ballot paper. Any infringement of directions contained thereon will render a witness liable to a penalty of £100, or three months' imprisonment. Provision is further made by which a person witnessing any application to transfer, or to change, or an application for a postal vote certificate, is required to satisfy himself that the statements contained in the claim or application are true. A contravention of this provision involves a penalty of £50.

THE GWYDIR SEAT.

MOREE, Sunday.

The Labour party is working hard, taking every opportunity for the coming election. The Women's Labour League is holding meetings. The general impression is that if something is not done on the other side immediately there will not be sufficient time to canvass this large electorate. The apathy now shown by persons not in sympathy with labour will result, as at the last election, —a small minority going to the poll. The present delay is a most serious handicap to a coming candidate. If a good strong man were forthcoming he would have a good chance of winning the seat, as Mr. Webster's supporters show by present alertness and combination that they consider it will be a severe fight for Mr. Webster to win. A candidate should be announced at once, in order to infuse a little energy.

TURBULENT RUSSIA.

MILITARY UNREST SPREADING.

MASSACRES PREDICTED.

LONDON, June 30.

Signs of military unrest in Russia are widespread, and are increasing. The grievances of the soldiers are partly personal, and are largely the result of sympathy with the land policy of the Duma. Even Cossacks are demanding a freer political institution.

The Government, finding it impossible to prevent soldiers discussing politics, urges officers to instil into their men anti-revolutionary ideas.

Officials still threaten massacres of Jews, despite the disclosures of Prince Urusoff, late Under-Secretary for the Interior, that while occult influences predominated the propaganda of massacre would continue.

Six hundred and fifty of the troops of the Odessa garrison have sent a petition to the Duma, praying it to release them from doing police duty.

POLES' SECRET SOCIETIES.

Five officers, two sergeants, and 13 civilians have been court-martialled at Warsaw for forming a secret association to incite the troops to mutiny.

Many of the Warsaw police are fleeing to Austria owing to constant assassinations by Terrorists. Troops over wide areas are refusing police duty.

GUARDSMEN DEGRADED.

The Czar, having withdrawn their privileges as Imperial Guardsmen for having manifested liberal tendencies, has transformed the First Battalion of the Preobrajensky Regiment into a special infantry battalion.

DESTRUCTION BY PEASANTS.

Peasants in the Kursk district, Middle Russia, using as their watchword "The land is Almighty God's," are destroying forests, and are stealing cattle.

Severe fighting has taken place at Tsareff, South-Eastern Russia, between peasants and Cossacks. The latter were worsted. Many persons were injured.

REINFORCING ST. PETERSBURG.

The Second Battalion of Grenadiers at Kronstadt has been summoned to St. Petersburg.

A strong detachment of Cossacks has been sent to St. Petersburg to guard the military and naval workshops.

TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILWAY.

NORTHERN TERRITORY PROJECT.

LONDON, June 30.

Financiers of good standing have made a proposal for the building of an Australian trans-continental railway to Port Darwin. They have made a deposit of £50,000 for an option of twelve months, and are anxiously awaiting the decision of the South Australian Government. The financiers are confident that their scheme will be successful if it is not delayed.

STATEMENT BY PREMIER OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

When the Premier, Mr. Price, was seen today, he stated that the syndicate mentioned is one which had been formed by Mr. A. L. Harrold, formerly of Adelaide, who is now in London. The proposal, he said, was that the financiers concerned should have, he believed, a 12 months' option, and that during that period £50,000 should be deposited. The deposit was not to be paid at once, and it practically meant 12 months' delay in any event. Mr. Price cannot understand the statement that financiers are anxiously awaiting the decision of the South Australian Government, because it was cabled to the Agent-General last week. The reply was that the offer could not be entertained, because of negotiations which are going on between the Federal and South Australian Government for the Commonwealth to take over the Northern Territory. When reminded of the fact that the Transcontinental Land Grant Railway Act is still on our statute book, Mr. Price pointed out that its operation had virtually expired, and that its provisions are in force only at the discretion of the Government. He added: "The proposal referred to in your cable message is only one of many that have been made for the completion of a transcontinental railway, and I look upon it as a more or less speculative venture. It was accompanied by no stipulations as to labour, or anything else. However, I have laid this and other proposals before Mr. Deakin, so as to prove to him that in taking over the Northern Territory the Commonwealth would be acquiring no dead horse. If we have to fall back on the Land Grant Act, I would point out that an amendment of it would be necessary, because at present it bears a serious blot. A syndicate on getting the powers contained in the Act could construct a few miles of line at either end of the present termini, and could hold alternate blocks for speculative purposes; but there is no authority in the Act to compel them to finish the work. That certainly needs altering." Mr. R. M'Ewan and his nephew are the Adelaide representatives of the financiers referred to in the cable message.

SALE OF NAVAL PLANS.

BRITISH VICTIMISED.

LONDON, June 29.

French newspapers assert that the Admiralty plans of the new British quick-firing naval gun have been sold to foreign Powers, and that probably plans of the defence of British ports have also been sold to foreign Powers.

LABOUR SUCCESS IN AUSTRIA.

LONDON, June 30.

Bricklayers in Austria, who were locked out at the commencement of the month in consequence of their demand for higher wages, have obtained 15 per cent. increase in their wages, to take effect immediately, and an increase of 33 per cent. in May, 1907. The lockout is now ended.

The lockout in Lower Austria affected 150,000 bricklayers and allied labourers.

NEW CHURCHES FOR LONDON.

A BISHOP'S WINDFALL.

LONDON, June 30.

The Bishop of London (Dr. Winnington-Ingram) has received a windfall of £140,000 for the erection of new churches in his diocese.

Dr. Winnington-Ingram for some years past has been disposing, where possible, of Church property in those parts of London where there are practically no worshippers, and has been using the proceeds to erect churches in the newer and more densely-populated parts of the capital.

SALVATION ARMY EMIGRANTS.

LONDON, June 29.

Canadian immigration officials warmly defend the Salvation Army for having selected as immigrants the best kind of people that has been sent to Canada.

If you want to BORROW MONEY, go to N.S.W. Mont de Piete Co., Ltd. Capital, £100,000. 74 Castlereagh-street, 74. Eustace Bennett, general manager.—Advt.

THE ZULU REVOLT.

REBELS INCREASE DAILY.

LONDON, June 30.

Another tribe in Natal has rebelled. The number of rebels is increasing daily.

NEW TACTICS.

A MARVELLOUS GUN.

LONDON, June 29.

In a fight at Hlongo on Wednesday the Zulus adopted new tactics. They charged downhill like a wave, and then opened out fanwise.

Only the combined fire of Rexer and Maxim guns could check the onrush. The Rexer gun proved a marvellous weapon.

BOMB FACTORY IN PARIS.

MANUFACTURERS SENTENCED.

LONDON, June 30.

An accidental explosion in a room in Paris on May 8 revealed to the police a bomb factory. Two of the men who were injured by the explosion, Habert and Bouchard, were arrested. Both are carpenters. They were charged with manufacturing bombs, and being found guilty yesterday they were sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

The discovery of a bomb manufactory in Paris was made quite by chance. While a rainstorm was at its height, on May 8, a violent explosion occurred in a room on the top floor of No. 56 Rue des Plantes, a street in the working-class district of Montrouge, in the southern part of the city. The tenant of the room, a man giving the name of Habert, and describing himself as a carpenter, was injured by the explosion, which appears to have been caused by the manipulation of a composition containing chlorate of potash. Habert and two other men found on the premises were arrested.

The most significant discovery was that of two small bombs filled with a powder. These engines were removed to the Municipal Laboratory for examination. Habert rented the room about six months ago. He is said to have led a retired existence, but his movements gave rise to no suspicion. The police are inclined to believe that he has no connection with the Russian anarchists, and that he intended to use his bombs to terrorise the employers of labour at that time in conflict with strikers. The two men arrested with Habert are also carpenters on strike. The receptacle which exploded was made of plaster studded with nails.

BREWERY AMALGAMATION.

A MELBOURNE SCHEME.

LONDON, June 30.

The committee of the debenture holders of M'Cracken's City Brewery, Melbourne, proposes an amalgamation of the Carlton, M'Cracken's, Castlemaine, Shamrock, Foster, and Victoria breweries, Melbourne, to be entitled the Central Brewery Company, with a capital of £1,000,000. The amalgamators will transfer sufficient cash, book debts, etc, to provide working capital of £250,000, and the remaining £750,000 worth of shares will be allotted to the amalgamating companies in consideration of goodwill. M'Cracken's company will transfer the goodwill and 8½ per cent. of the assets, valued at £46,250, for £185,000 worth of shares, of which the shareholders will be offered £41,625 worth. The debenture holders will form an assets company, with a capital of £150,000 in £1 shares, and £200,000 debentures bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. They will realise the rest of the assets of M'Cracken's company including city freeholds, which will not be used for brewing in the future. Debenture holders will receive £30 worth of shares, and £40 worth of debentures for every £100 now held by them.

M'Cracken's City Brewery will receive 18½ per cent., say, £185,000, of the share capital of the Central Company, of which £46,250 will represent cash, book debts, etc., transferred, and £138,750 will represent goodwill. Of the last-mentioned sum 30 per cent., or 41,625 shares, will be offered to the present shareholders in M'Cracken's Brewery, who will thus receive interest in the Central Brewery, but will lose all further interest in their own company. The debenture-holders' Assets Company will be in possession of the remaining 143,275 shares in the Central Company, together with the Collins-street properties, including brewery and the Bluestone Store, and also hotel properties. In exchange for their present debentures of £50,000 the debenture-holders will receive 30 per cent. in shares, and 40 per cent. in debentures in the Assets Company. After providing £9000 for interest on debentures any further net income will be available for distribution as dividend on the Assets company's shares, or for establishing a reserve fund. It will be some time before the Central Brewery Company can be properly established, as meetings of the various bodies concerned will have to be held. According to the announcement made in April the Central Company will not take over the properties of the present companies, but will lease the Carlton, Victoria, and Foster breweries, with the right of purchase.

EXPLOSION ON A WARSHIP.

AN OPEN BREECH AND BACKFIRE.

LONDON, June 29.

A gun exploded on the cruiser *Essex* off the Scilly Isles during the naval manoeuvres. One man was killed, and four were injured.

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The accident occurred when reloading. The gun had fired a blank charge, and the breech was reopened in preparation for reloading when the back fire exploded a blank cartridge held in reading.

FIRES ON WOOL SHIPS.

LONDON, June 30.

Underwriters have urged the Board of Trade to approach the Earl of Elgin to suggest the advisability of New Zealand holding an inquiry into fires in the wool ships Pitcairn Island, Gothic, Perthshire, Waimate, and Rimutaka.

MEASUREMENT OF SHIPS.

LONDON, June 30.

The majority of the Shipping Select Committee of the last House of Commons, presided over by Mr. Bonar Law, upholds the existing tonnage law, and emphasises that the principal maritime Powers have adopted the British system of measuring ships.

The select committee recommended that the British rule as to load-line should be applied to all merchant ships which do not comply with similar regulations. Recently the Grand Committee on Trade decided that the new Shipping Bill should apply the load-line to all foreign vessels entering or leaving British ports, whereas as originally drafted the bill proposed to apply the load-line only to foreign vessels leaving British ports.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, June 30.

Two shocks of earthquake were experienced yesterday in Carnarvonshire, Lancashire, Cheshire, and Croydon, nine miles from St. Paul's, London.

PREVENTION OF CONSUMPTION.

LONDON, June 30.

M. Georges Montefiore, who lived at Brussels, bequeathed £100,000 to discover means for the prevention of consumption.

GREAT MOTOR RACE.

WON BY RENAULT CAR.

LONDON, June 30.

The Automobile Grand Prix de France finished yesterday over the Sarthe circuit of 750 miles, with the following result:—

Driver.	Car.	Time.
Sisz......	Renault.........	12h 14m 7s.
Nazzaro..	Fiat.............	12h 46m 26s.
Clement..	Bayard-Clement	12h 49m 46s.

The result of the great international motor car race promoted by the Automobile Club of France, and held over the Sarthe circuit on the 26th and 27th of June, has caused much interest amongst local motorists. The Grand Prix, as the race is called, was inaugurated this year by the French Automobile Club at the dictation of the French manufacturers, who, dissatisfied with the conditions attached to the annual Gordon-Bennett cup race, clamoured for a speed event in which all the makers should be represented. In the rules which governed the race for the Gordon-Bennett three cars only were allowed to defend the interests of each competing country. Such an arrangement, while acceptable to Great Britain, Austria, America, etc., was not agreeable to the wishes of France, who claimed that, as the great centre of the world's motor industry, she was entitled to a preponderating representation in the annual contest. Seeing that her demands would not be tolerated by the other interested parties, the Automobile Club of France instituted the great race, the result of which has just been cabled. Though the event was open to the world, there is every evidence to believe that it was not truly international in character. Neither Great Britain, Austria, Switzerland, nor America took part in it, and even those nations that competed in the contest outside France were but poorly represented. When it is stated that out of a total entry of 34 cars, France alone had 25, as against 6 by Italy and 3 by Germany, the absurdity of terming the race international is apparent. Altogether, 10 French firms, two Italian makers, and one German manufacturer were represented in the race.

Outside the question of internationality, the race was undoubtedly a great one, and well worthy of special interest. For many years past it has been recognised over the world that the French, German, and Italian cars have practically asserted their superiority so far as speed has been concerned. The last two Gordon-Bennetts, which were won by Thery on a Brasier car; the recent victories of Lancia and Nazzaro on Fiats in such races as the Itala Cup, Florida Beach contests, etc.; and the remarkable performances of the German Mercedes cars, have tended to impress the world that England, America, and other countries have not yet attained, or are not ambitious of reaching, the same standard of perfection as regards speed that has been gained by the three nations mentioned.

The Sarthe circuit, over which the race was held, is triangular in shape. It has a total length of 62½ miles, and is made up entirely of straight stretches, with a road offering a remarkably good surface, and presenting occasional gradients that could have no appreciable effect on the speed of the cars. Indeed, excepting at the three corners, Le Mans, La Ferti Bernard, and St. Calais, all the vehicles could easily have travelled at their maximum. The selection of such a purely speed route shows to what extent French opinion changed during the past 12 months relative to the conditions under which races should be carried out. When the Gordon-Bennett rules were first framed, France argued that racing on courses where vehicles could be driven at maximum speeds was not calculated to furnish improvement in car construction to such an extent as when contests took place over much more difficult routes. That France's sudden change of view is surprising is evident when it is stated that the Sarthe circuit allowed speeds up to 100 miles an hour or over. Indeed, in preliminary trials one of the three Brasier vehicles, of 106 horse-power, registered over 90 miles in the 60 minutes.

The distance of the Grand Prix was 750 miles, and the competitors were asked to do the race on two separate days. This meant that on each day the circuit had to be covered six times, or 375 miles a day. The sharpest of the three turning points was at St. Calais, and it was there that the promoters compelled the competing vehicles to slacken speed, in order to be checked. The start of each day's race took place about seven miles from Le Mans, the latter town having voted £4000 to the Automobile Club of France so as to get the race run near its environs. This amount, and the £200 entrance fee, and £400 acceptance for late nominations, gave the promoters an immense amount of money, sufficient to pay £5000 to the winner, as well as the other prizes, expenses, etc. Of the three winning cars, the Renault is a French vehicle, made by one the oldest established manufacturers in France. Hitherto it has not figured prominently in speed events. The name of the driver, Sisz, is not familiar to motorists out here. The speed averaged by this car was approximately 62 miles an hour. The Fiat car, which got second place, is an Italian production, which, during the past few years, has startled the world by its remarkable achievements both in speed and endurance tests at the hands of Nazzaro, Lancia, etc. Nazzaro is regarded as one of the finest drivers in the world, quite in Thery's and Lancia's class. The third car is a Bayard-Clement vehicle, driven by A. Clement. This model, like the Renault, is a French machine. Though favourably known in France and European circles generally, the Clement has not hitherto attained any great renown in big events. As regards the particulars of the various competing models, nothing is yet to hand. It was well known, however, that most of them were four-cylindered, and averaged about 100-130 horse-power. A few bigger-powered vehicles competed, however, some having six and even eight cylinders. Hemery's Darracq alone was 200 horse-power, while several other makers had cars over 150 horse-power.

Though much surprise will be expressed, no doubt, at the non-success of some of the favourite cars, the stringent conditions of the race would likely be accountable for their failure, as each car was only allowed a driver and a mechanician, and these two between them had to effect all repairs to the machinery, tyres, etc., during racing hours only. The following cars took part in the race:—Three each Darracq, Panhard, Richard-Brasier, De Dietrich, Renault, Fiat, Hotchkiss, Mercedes, Bayard-Clement, one each Gobron, Vulpes, two Gregories, and four Italas.

BRITISH AGRICULTURAL SHOW.

NEW SOUTH WALES EXHIBITS.

LONDON, June 29.

New South Wales and Western Australia have fine collections of exhibits at the Royal Agricultural Show at Derby. The King, who is visiting the show, emphasised his warm personal interest in agriculture and the raising of stock. He said he was proud to see that purchasers from all parts of the world flocked to England to purchase stock.

LABOUR DEPUTATION.

LONDON, June 29.

Mr. J. Ramsay Macdonald, M.P. (Labour), will sail for Australia, via Canada, on August 10.

THE DIAMOND SCULLS.

AUSTRALIAN COMPETITORS.

LONDON, June 29.

Mr. T. Harrison Bourke and Mr. Roy Adam, who are entered for the Diamond Sculls at Henley, have been steadily training. They have been compelled to row in an exceptionally fast stream, owing to a tremendous tropical downpour in the Valley of the Thames flooding the river.

Bourke, who won the amateur sculling championship of Australia in 1902, 1903, and 1905, is a member of the Tamar Rowing Club, Launceston. He was coached several times by C. Nielsen, Parramatta River, and became a good sculler over a long distance, but did not perform at all brilliantly over a mile. Roy Adam is quite a novice, and has done little in sculling. He was for about three years a member of the Mercantile Rowing Club, Melbourne. The racing at Henley will take place on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, but as there may be fully a dozen scullers in the Diamond Sculls race, including Bourke and Adam, it may be necessary to row some heats on Monday. The probable competitors will include (besides the Australians) a Canadian, an American, two Germans, two Belgians, a Hungarian, and several English scullers. Kelly, who is the holder of the Sculls, and who lowered the record for the course last year, will not be able to defend his title, and this will be a disappointment to Bourke, who particularly wished to meet the present champion. The Henley course is shallow and narrow, and the races are rowed against the stream. When there is a fresh in the river Thames, the course is considered much faster for rowing on one bank than the other.

OUTRAGE IN BRAZIL.

BRITISH SUBJECTS WHIPPED.

LONDON, June 30.

According to the Rio de Janeiro correspondent of the "Daily Mail" two British subjects, O'Hara and Allan, have been whipped by mounted police at Affonso. The two men stopped at a cottage, and asked of a woman the road. The woman was without any need frightened, and after the men left she made accusations against them to mounted police, who were passing. The police went in pursuit of O'Hara and Allan, and overtaking them inflicted on them 50 lashes with whips, and otherwise maltreated them.

An inquiry has been opened into the matter.

GERMAN CAMPAIGN IN AFRICA.

LOSSES IN THE SOUTH-WEST.

LONDON, June 29.

Seventeen hundred and thirty soldiers have been killed or died of disease during the German South-west African campaign. The natives who have been taken prisoners number 17,000.

Hottentots near Roman's Drift, in South-West Africa, frustrated an attempt to encircle them, and captured 100 German horses.

THE DUKE OF RUTLAND.

LONDON, June 30.

The Duke of Rutland, who is in his 88th year, is ill.

VICTORIA.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES LEGISLATION.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

A deputation from the friendly societies asked Sir Samuel Gillott to bring in an Amending Friendly Societies Bill, largely on the lines of the New South Wales Act. They received a sympathetic reply.

MARINE COURT QUALIFICATIONS.

The Marine Board considered a petition on Friday from licensed pilots, asking that the qualification of skilled members of the Court of Marine Inquiry should be raised. A similar petition was sent in by the Merchant Service Guild of Australasia. The petitions had been referred to a committee of the board, which reported adversely. The committee's report was adopted.

THE CHURCH CONGRESS.

A list of subjects for discussion at the November Church Congress and speakers has been drawn up. The congress proper will open on November 19, and among the speakers are the Bishops of Tasmania, Newcastle, Riverina, Armidale, North Queensland, Wellington, and Gippsland, Senator Dobson, and Mr. Watson, M.P.

AMERICAN CRUISER BALTIMORE.

The American cruiser Baltimore arrived at Hobson's Bay on Saturday. The Baltimore has visited Sydney and Auckland. She encountered bad weather on the trip from New Zealand.

Good business is being done by the New London Comedy Company at the Princess Theatre with "The Man from Mexico." The last nights are announced of Mr. William Collier at Her Majesty's. The season terminates on Wednesday. At the Theatre Royal "Hands Across the Sea" has been attracting large audiences during the week. At the Opera House Mr. Harry Rickards is presenting a good programme.

FEDERAL ELECTIONS.

LABOUR PARTY IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

On Thursday night the United Labour party selected the following candidates to contest the federal elections:—For the House of Representatives: Messrs. Batchelor, Hutchison, Poynton, Vaughan, Dey, and Campbell. For the Senate: Messrs. Russell, Blundell, and Campbell. It is interesting to compare this list with the voting of a plebiscite of members of the union, which was taken recently. There were a lot of candidates, and the voting was as follows:—Batchelor, 3185 votes; Hutchison, 2824; Poynton, 2779; W. Russell, 2010; P. Nesbit, 1938; F. W. Lundie, 1806; F. S. Wallis, 1742; H. Adams, 1609; J. H. Vaughan, 1423; D. A. Crosby, 1358; A. M. Dey, 1352; R. Blundell, 1344; H. A. Grainger, 1124; R. Campbell, 1110.

DISTURBANCE AT A CHURCH MEETING.

A MAN EJECTED.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Matters at the pleasant Sunday afternoon at the Wesley Church to-day were for some time the reverse of pleasant. The church was crowded, and Mr. W. H. Judkins, who was talking on gambling, the drink traffic, and other things, was subjected to so much interruption, chiefly from a small number of persons among those at the back of the church, that the police had to be called in. One man was ejected, and a constable, remaining in that part of the building where the disturbers were, managed to keep them to some extent under control, though the interjections came frequently at times.

PNEUMONIC PLAGUE.

ANOTHER FATAL CASE.

TWENTY-TWO CONTACTS IN QUARANTINE.

Another case of pneumonic plague, which terminated fatally, was discovered on Saturday. The victim was Mrs. Miles, who resided at Palmer-street, Balmain. Mrs. Miles was on visiting terms with the Grose family, amongst whom the previous cases of plague of this character occurred. She was taken ill several days ago, suffering apparently from pneumonia. An examination of the expectoration made at the Board of Health laboratory did not reveal sufficient to enable the case to be determined as plague, but the conditions were so suspicious as to justify the immediate removal of Mrs. Miles to the Quarantine Station at the North Head. The case proved eventually to be one of true plague, and the patient sank rapidly and died at 7.30 on Saturday night.

Five contacts were removed to the Quarantine Station in connection with Mrs. Miles's case, and yesterday six other persons, who were found to have been in communication with the house in which the disease has occurred, were sent to North Head. In all the contacts now number 22. So far none of them have developed any sign of illness.

The Premier states that he does not think there is any occasion for alarm, now that the disease has been detected, and is recognised. He was satisfied the Board of Health will take all possible precautions to prevent the spread of the disease.

The Chief Secretary states that by the prompt action of the health authorities there was comparatively little danger of the outbreak spreading to any extent.

CLEANSING WORK.

A correspondent writes complaining that the premises in Winslow-street, North Sydney, recently occupied by a plague patient who has since died, have received no attention at the hands of the authorities, but are to be let in the same condition in which they were on the removal of the patient. An inquiry at the Health Department, however, shows that the board immediately despatched a gang of cleansers to the locality, and all that was considered necessary was done to prevent a spread of the disease.

NO ACTION IN VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Dr. Norris, chairman of the Board of Public Health, said on Saturday that the board had not resolved upon any new departure in consequence of the outbreak of the new form of primary plague pneumonia in Sydney. It may be stated that as regards local action in the direction of destroying rats, etc., the Health Act is too indefinite to allow of the board exercising any coercive action, but the Local Government Act of 1903 gives power to municipal councils throughout the State, under section 197, for the framing of regulations for the destruction of rats and other vermin. The Board of Public Health has recently urged on the councils the wisdom and necessity of framing such regulation, and has, in fact, formulated a draft regulation for their guidance.

THE CRICKET CRISIS.

TROUBLE PRACTICALLY SETTLED.

BOARD OF CONTROL RECOGNISED.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

A meeting between representatives of the various cricket interests in Melbourne was held on Saturday, and as the result of the conference it is hoped that the cricket difficulty will be settled, and that an English team will come to Australia in the coming season.

The Victorian Cricket League on Friday appointed Messrs. E. F. Mitchell (M.C.C.), A. G. Roberts (Hawthorn), Jas. Thompson (Williamstown, president of the league), and Bowman (South Melbourne), as delegates to meet the executive of the Victorian Cricket Association. These gentlemen met the association representatives yesterday at Port Phillip Club Hotel, those present from the association being Messrs. W. Rush (Hawksburn), E. E. Bean (North Melbourne), M. Fitzgerald (St. Kilda), C. Nodrum (East Melbourne), W. T. Ahearn (Carlton), and P. Kinuck (Fitzroy). No chairman was formally appointed, but Mr. Mitchell presided. In an informal manner a discussion was carried on by men determined to effect a settlement, and whenever there was a tendency to diverge Mr. Mitchell diplomatically turned the debate back into its proper course. After it had proceeded for some time the league representatives withdrew and consulted in private, the association delegates also deliberating together. When the league men returned the conference went on until evening. Then both sides expressed themselves as satisfied, but would say nothing more.

It was, however, soon found that a settlement had been effected, and that the cricket difficulty was over. Although the object of the conference was to settle the local difficulty, there was a strong desire on both sides that an English team should visit Australia next season, and this materially helped the negotiation for a settlement, because it was recognised that without it there was no hope of the Marylebone Club sending out an English team.

A telegram from Adelaide, published on Saturday, stating that the matter had been referred by the association in that State to a sub-committee, also helped matters, as it was known that at least two of the sub-committee were in favour of the board of control. Delegates also had the assurance of Sir Wm. Lyne that the New South Wales Association would fall in with any reasonable arrangement come to by the Victorian bodies.

TERMS OF THE SETTLEMENT.

PLAYERS' CONTRACT DESTROYED BY M.C.C.

A most important feature of the settlement arrived at is the fact that as soon as the arrangement come to yesterday is confirmed by the association and the league, and there is no doubt it will be, a meeting of the board of control will be held, and a cable despatched to the Marylebone Club asking that a strong English team may be sent to Australia next October, and specially requesting that Messrs. F. S. Jackson, Spooner, and Brearley may be members of the team. The Melbourne Cricket Club will cable simultaneously, stating that the invitation has its cordial support and co-operation. The feeling of unanimity was so great that the Melbourne C.C. representative stated that the agreement signed by the Sydney players would be destroyed. This, it is stated, will be immediately followed by the New South Wales Association removing the disqualification recently imposed. The Victorian association, it is also stated, will not remember such matters as the fact that the Melbourne C.C. withdrew from the association. Messrs. E. F. Mitchell, Jas. M'Laughlin, and the club's other representative will be welcomed to the meeting. If possible Mr. Mitchell will take the chair.

The conference upheld the district cricket phase of the difficulty by arranging that there should be one strong association. The scheme propounded by the association and published on May 24 has been taken as the basis of arrangement. The clubs will be divided into grades, with one odd club in the first grade. The Melbourne C.C. will be a member of the association, and have two teams which will, however, not play in the pennant competitions. The Melbourne teams will play the odd club in the first grade, and will also take part in matches against country teams. The Melbourne C.C. Ground will be used for interstate and international matches, and there will be no trouble on the score of financial arrangements. The association will withdraw its letter to the trustees of the Melbourne Ground for the use of the ground, and the club and the association will work together.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

On Friday evening a special joint meeting of the Ground and Finance and the Cricket committees of the South Australian Cricket Association was held to hear a report from the sub-committee, consisting of Messrs. G. M. Evan, H. Blinman, and B. V. Scrymgour, who had been appointed to deal with the matter of the board of control. The President, Sir Edwin Smith, occupied the chair, and there was a full attendance. In the discussion which followed the statement, the opinion was expressed that the Melbourne Cricket Club should have representation on any board of control which was formed to govern cricket in Australia. Messrs. Evan, Blinman, and Scrygmour were empowered to act for the association in conducting any negotiations with the other States.

Mr. A. W. Green, one of the N.S.W. delegates to the Board of Control, anticipates that it will be necessary to have a meeting of the board in Melbourne during the current week.

The Melbourne Club was offered representation, and declined to accept it unless South Australia was also represented. The latter would not come in unless the words "if necessary" were introduced into the financial clause of the constitution of the Board of Control.

RETURN OF THE ADMIRAL

ISLAND CRUISE OF THE POWERFUL.

VIOLENT WEATHER ENCOUNTERED.

After an absence of nearly a month from Sydney, H.M.S. Powerful, with his Excellency Vice-Admiral Sir Wilmot H. Fawkes and staff on board, returned to port yesterday afternoon from a cruise in the islands. The flagship sailed from Sydney on June 6, and steamed direct for Vila, in the New Hebrides Group, fine-weather conditions being experienced all the way. Vila was reached on the afternoon of the 11th ult, and the Powerful remained at anchor there until 7 a.m. on the 13th ult, when she left on a cruise. A course was steered round the island of Tongoa, and after leaving the New Hebrides the flagship proceeded to the Fiji islands.

The port of Suva was reached at 3.45 on the afternoon of Friday, 15th ult, and the Powerful stayed there until the morning of yesterday week, when she sailed again on the return voyage to Sydney. The flagship arrived off Norfolk Island at 1 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon last, but as extremely heavy weather conditions were ruling in the open roadstead, no one landed. The Chief Magistrate of Norfolk Island came aboard to pay a courtesy call, and several boatloads of provisions were shipped. The voyage was continued the same evening, the intention being to pay a visit to Lord Howe Island on the way to Sydney.

No sooner, however, had the Powerful left Norfolk Island than she ran into the centre of the severe disturbance which has been operating in the South Pacific. The wind, which was from the westward, rapidly increased in strength, until it attained the violence of a living gale. The wind brought up mountainous seas, and the Powerful was for three days called upon to face conditions more severe than on any other occasion since she was launched. Gigantic seas broke right over the warship, the decks being constantly flooded. The great vessel pitched and rolled in the heavy seaway to such an extent that it was impossible to keep a footing.

So boisterous were the conditions that the proposed call at Lord Howe Island was abandoned, and the Powerful stood on her course for Sydney. Throughout the tempest the capabilities of the vessel were severely tested by a number of experiments and in the teeth of the gales she was manoeuvred in a variety of ways. Steam trials were run in the height of the storm, and it is said that the Powerful proved herself under the most adverse conditions possible a magnificent sea-boat.

She entered Sydney Heads at 10 minutes to 3 yesterday afternoon, and about an hour later moored at her buoy in Farm Cove. Just before 6 o'clock Vice-Admiral Fawkes left the flagship in a steam pinnace for Admiralty House. The Powerful is under orders to proceed on August 1 on a visit to Brisbane, and later in the year she will leave with the Admiral for Singapore, where the annual conference on naval defence will be held.

Esther Davies, a resident of Upper William-street, has reported to the police that on Thursday jewellery, valued at £100, was stolen from her bedroom. Another resident of the same house reports the loss of a Gladstone bag on the same day.

A STEAMER DISABLED.

GLAUCUS BREAKS HER SHAFT.

PICKED UP BY THE KANOWNA.

THE TOW-LINE PARTS.

WAITING FOR A TUG.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Late on Saturday afternoon a message was received from Inverloch, stating that two steamers, one of which was disabled and in tow of the other, had passed there at 9 o'clock that morning, about 10 miles from land. In the evening a message came to hand from the captain of the steamer Queenscliff, which arrived at San Remo, conveying the news that the unknown steamers were the collier Glaucus and the well-known A.U.S.N. Company's steamer Kanowna. The Glaucus had, it transpired, broken her shaft whilst on a trip from Newcastle, and was fortunately picked up by the Kanowna whilst that vessel was proceeding from Melbourne to Sydney. Preparations were made for the tug James Paterson to proceed to sea.

Meanwhile another telegram of a somewhat alarming nature was received from Queenscliff on Saturday night. It came from Captain Mills, of the steamer Despatch, which stated that when his vessel passed the Kanowna and Glaucus during the morning the line with which the two vessels were connected broke. Captain Mills was asked by the Glaucus to report upon his arrival at Queenscliff that the services of a tug were urgently required by the disabled steamer. Soon after the receipt of this message the James Paterson left Williamstown, and was expected to come up with the Glaucus at an early hour on Sunday morning. When passed by the Despatch the two steamers were between Anderson's Inlet and Cape Liptrap. The wind was blowing strongly from the westward, and the seas were exceedingly rough.

News of a more reassuring nature respecting the disabled vessel was, however, brought by the Union liner Waikare, which reached Melbourne on Sunday forenoon. It was to the effect that the Waikare passed a large passenger steamer with another steamer in tow at half-past 1 o'clock on Sunday morning, about 26 miles south-east by east of Cape Schanck. The wind was blowing very hard at the time, and was accompanied by fierce rain squalls. From this it would seem that the Kanowna succeeded in again taking the Glaucus in tow after the line parted the previous afternoon, and was bringing her slowly towards the Heads in the hope of meeting the tug James Paterson. As the two steamers were such a long distance out to sea when passed by the Waikare, there appeared a strong probability that the James Paterson would experience considerable difficulty in picking them up, more especially in the thick squally weather prevailing.

The Glaucus left Newcastle on Tuesday last for Melbourne with 1700 tons of coal. She is in command of Captain Walter Frith. The Kanowna left Melbourne on Friday morning in continuation of a trip from Fremantle, via Adelaide. She has a considerable number of passengers on board.

The Promontory reports:—"3.30 p.m.: Tow-rope parted off Waterloo Bay; Kanowna and Perth standing by; 5.30, Glaucus burnt two blue lights: Perth close by; Kanowna proceeded on course."

TRADE WITH THE EAST.

DEVELOPMENT OF MEAT EXPORT.

MARKETS IN JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES.

WOOL PROSPECTS.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The Hon. J. Sternberg, M.L.C., of Victoria, a passenger by the Nikko Maru, in the course of an interview said that whilst in Japan he was deputed to represent a number of gentlemen in the south to inquire into and make arrangements for the exportation of frozen products from Australia to Japan. He interviewed a number of leading Japanese people both in China and Japan, and opened up negotiations with a view of arranging a regular steamship line to carry Australian produce to the East. Matters were not completed when he left for Australia, but he hoped to be in a position to make a definite statement at no distant date.

Another passenger is the Hon. B. Ligarda, a member of the commission which confers with the American Government in the legislative affairs of the Philippine Islands. He is on a private visit to the Commonwealth. Speaking of Manila, he said the Philippine Islands were slowly recovering from many calamities. Rinderpest had made its appearance, and had killed off fully 90 per cent. of the cattle. Then came a disastrous drought, and a plague of locusts, and the outbreak of cholera. The recent rebellion by the Moros had been stamped out by the American authorities, and the tribe had been very quiet. One of the great movements next year in the Philippine Islands would be the constitution of a popular Assembly for legislative purposes. It is proposed that members of the Assembly should not number less than 50 or more than 100, and should be elected by popular vote. Questioned as to whether there was any foundation for the reports which had been circulated that the American Government intended to sell portions of the islands to Japan, he replied that the reports had been denied in very strong words by Mr. Taft. Mr. Ligarda said Australian frozen meat and fodder were very popular in Manila. Rinderpest had depleted the number of cattle to such an extent that they had to look elsewhere for supplies. Naturally they turned their eyes towards Australia. Up to the present the trade, which was bound to increase, had been conducted satisfactorily. Meat consumption was increasing, and there was a possibility of a big trade being worked up. Last year, said Mr. Ligarda, Australia exported to the Philippines produce valued at about 1,200,000 dollars, while Manila sent to Australia produce valued at 600,000 dollars. Mr. Clarence Bridge, a representative of John Bridge and Co., woolbrokers, Sydney, is also on board. He said that, as the result of inquiries he had made, he believed that at no distant date the Commonwealth would be doing a big business in wool with the Japanese.

STATE REVENUES.

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The State revenue for the year amounted to £7,797,626, or £287,969 more than in the previous year. The estimate for the year was £7,145,753. The receipts, therefore, exceed the estimate by £651,873. There has been an increase of £58,314 in the excise, £158,783 in the railways, £22,196 in fees, £57,833 in miscellaneous, and £79,741 in the Commonwealth surplus revenue return. There were also increases in the income tax, land tax, and stamps, but decreases in territorial and selectors' progress payments. Mr. Bent states that the surplus, when all accounts are adjusted, will be nearly £700,000.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

According to his revised ways and means in December last, the Treasurer expected that the year's receipts would amount to £2,619,951, and that there would be a debit balance of £30,451. Approximate returns of income now available show that the revenue has reached £2,807,540, which is about £187,590 in excess of the estimate, and the Treasurer expects that after having made full allowance for expenditure which cannot yet be certainly determined, he will have a surplus of something like £80,000 on the year's operations. Probate and succession duties realised £6000 more than estimated, land and income tax £14,000, stamp duties £5000, and railways £51,000.

A PARADE THAT FAILED.

STATE COMMANDANT SPEAKS STRONGLY.

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

On Saturday, on the occasion of the annual inspection of the Scottish Corps by the State Commandant, Colonel Wallack, two-thirds of the soldiers were absent. The parade was attended by between 40 and 50 out of a total strength of approximately 125. The Commandant did not mince his words when he addressed the gathering. "This is my annual inspection day, on which the efficiency of the men is officially tested," he said. "Notwithstanding that there are no fewer than 80 members of the corps absent without leave. It is a perfect scandal. This is a sort of thing I will not have under my command, and you may as well know that now. I am not casting any blame on those present, but I do cast blame on your comrades who are absent. This is what I get after all that I have tried to do for you. If I can't get anything better than this I shall simply disband the companies. There is nothing else for it. Your officers have worked, and are working, hard to help the corps along. No one could take more interest in it than they do. Captain Smeaton, your commanding officer, wants the co-operation of every man, and he must have it, or the corps will have to go. I am going to consider what steps I shall take about this afternoon's proceedings. I want to see not only two Scottish infantry companies in South Australia, but a small battalion."

COLLIERY TROUBLES.

THE NEWCASTLE DISTRICT.

NEWCASTLE, Sunday.

Discontent is still simmering amongst the wheelers and other youthful workers at the collieries. It is generally expected, however, that the developments of next week will disclose whether or not a general strike is to be inflicted on the district. The wheelers employed at Sea Pit held a meeting on Friday, and decided to give 14 days' notice, but on Saturday morning Mr. Thomas, colliery manager, was notified by them that this course would not be taken. This may be significant as regards the general attitude which the boys have taken up since the proprietors published their determination not to grant any increases. It is a hopeful sign, at any rate.

It transpires that the meeting of colliery managers held last Friday was called for the purpose of forming themselves into an association, to be auxiliary to the Colliery Proprietors' Association, and to act concertedly with them. It is the first time that managers have come together with the object of working in concert.

Stockton Colliery was idle again on Saturday, as the drivers were still on strike. Wheelers and miners also refused to work because shiftmen who refused to help with the driving were dismissed. Mr. Durie, the mine manager, when interviewed to-night, said he had little hope that the colliery would work to-morrow, even were the shiftmen reinstated. Now that the trouble with the wheelers at Sea Pit has been settled, work will be resumed as usual on Monday. Some of the boys, principally drivers, at Ellermore Vale, have asked for increased rates of pay.

Drivers and wheelers at the Duckenfield Colliery, Minmi, waited on the manager on Saturday night, and preferred the usual request for higher wages. Their attention was directed to the recent decision of the proprietors, which did not allow of any such increase being given, and they, thereupon, retired. They have not yet handed in their notices.

Several of the notices given a little time ago will expire on Monday. Trouble at the Hetton mine has not been ended, and the colliery will again be idle to-morrow.

WORK AT THE COLLIERIES.

Notwithstanding the fact that serious trouble has existed between the boy workers and the management at nearly every colliery in the district, the paysheet for the fortnight, as represented by the number of days worked, is an exceptionally good one. It was only at Dudley, Hetton, and Stockton mines that the boys refused to work without giving the usual 14 days' notice, necessitating the cessation of work at two of the collieries. The trouble at Stockton is quite recent, and has, therefore, only slightly influenced the paysheet, but at Hetton the mine has been idle the whole week, and only five days were worked during the fortnight. In fact, the total output from Hetton this week amounted to four waggon loads. However, no less than 20 collieries worked full time (11 days), while 28 worked 10 days and over. South Greta Colliery will probably recommence work to-morrow, the new boiler having been installed.

The number of days worked at the various collieries of the district during the fortnight was as follows:—Duckenfield, Back Creek, Abermain, Seaham, Lambton, West Wallsend, Killingworth, Northumberland, Burwood Extended, New Lambton, Dudley, Co-operative, Rhondda, Northern Extended, Sneddon's, Newcastle A and B pits, Sea Pit, Hebburn, Cardiff, 11 days each (full time): Burwood, 10½ days; Wallsend C pit, 10½ days; Lambton, B 10½ days; East Greta, 10½ days; Pelaw-Main, Wallsend Tunnel, Pacific, Ellermore Vale, 10 days; Stockton, 8½ days; Waratah, 8 days; Heddon Greta, 7½ days; Hetton, 5 days.

THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

WONDERS OF WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

TOLL TELEPHONES.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The Postmaster-General, Mr. Austin Chapman arrived in Melbourne to-day. In the course of an interview, he spoke at length upon the subject of wireless telegraphy. He is greatly interested in the improvement of the system, by which the radiation of messages is prevented to a very large extent. On being asked if he had conferred with Sir Joseph Ward, Postmaster-General of New Zealand, on the subject, Mr. Chapman said that he and Sir Joseph Ward interviewed Mr. Marconi's representatives in London and Italy. "We hope," Mr. Chapman remarked, "that whatever arrangements are made will be beneficial to the two countries. We expect to be able to move together in the matter. Sir Joseph Ward and I think it would be a good thing to commence with a station in Australia and another in New Zealand, and a third in Tasmania, with smaller stations on islands. I am satisfied that something must be done soon. It is only a question of commencing properly, and with the right people. In London I met Mr. Wannamacher, an American millionaire, who told me that when his party were crossing the Atlantic they sent messages home daily. Canada has entered into agreements with Mr. Marconi, and I have obtained full particulars of them."

Mr. Chapman has gathered a great deal of information on the toll telephone system, which in Australia has been "hung up" for a while. Before deciding upon any step in Australia he wishes to learn the present position from his colleagues.

HIGH COURT JUDGMENTS.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

The High Court delivered several reserved judgments on Friday in cases under the Immigration Restriction Act. In Preston v Donohue, a Sydney case, which concerned Mahomet Mithoo, a seaman on R.M.S. Mongolia, who deserted, the Court upheld the conviction.

In the case of Gordon v Donohue, also in Sydney, the facts were similar to those in Preston's case, and the conviction was upheld.

In Li Wan Quoi v Christie, a Victorian case, the conviction was sustained.

In two appeals in the case of Ah Sheung, the Court held that the identity of Ah Sheung was not sufficiently established, and held over the appeal for further consideration. In the other the case was sent back to the magistrate for re-hearing.

THE MOLONG FIRE.

CONCLUSION OF THE INQUEST.

MOLONG, Sunday.

The inquiry into the origin of the recent fire was resumed on Friday, Mr. Rooke representing the insurance companies.

Dib Domeny said his stock in January was worth £830. At the time of the fire he had £1000 to £1200 worth of stock. He took £15 to £30 per week. He owed warehouses £700. He sent stock away to Peak Hill to his son—£100 worth. He always "planted" his money at night. He received a threatening letter a fortnight ago. The men who tied him up never spoke.

Sergeant Ritchie said that last week Domeny showed him a threatening letter. He had seen Domeny sign the depositions since. He thought the handwriting on the letter was in same hand.

E. Lowe said that two strangers were drinking at the Telegraph Hotel the day of the fire. They went to bed early. When the fire broke out he called them. They did not come. They said they were sailors, and were only four months in Australia.

Constable Webster said he searched the premises, but found no trace of money. He heard Domeny say, "I know the man who put his hand on my throat. I know the soft white hand. I won't say who; it will only make trouble."

James White said he also heard Domeny say he knew the hand on his throat.

Claude Charters said that Domeny had come to him, and asked him to say that his was the hand that loosened the rope by which he was bound.

Domeny, recalled, denied having had a conversation with Charters on the subject.

The coroner found no evidence to indicate how the fire originated.

VICTORIAN UNEMPLOYED.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

Mr. Bent, the State Premier, has decided to provide employment for 300 men on various Public works, and consequent on that decision there was a rush to register at the labour bureau on Friday. A sufficient number of men was enrolled to fill up the [illegible] Monday next.

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QUEENSLAND.

SUGAR LABOUR COMMISSION.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The work of the Sugar Labour Commission is drawing to a close, and the finishing touches are being given to the report. It is expected to be available on Tuesday, after a copy has reached the Commonwealth authorities.

DEEPENING THE RIVER.

Within a few weeks six dredges will be working in the Brisbane River, the Government having determined to push on the work of improving and deepening the channel as quickly as possible. These improvements will make it practicable for mail steamers to berth at the town wharfs.

EXTENSION OF SHIPPING OPERATIONS.

The statement that the Orient Company had bought land at Gladstone for wharfage purposes has brought information from Rockhampton that the Peninsular and Oriental Company is thinking of extending its service to Rockhampton. A short time ago the Sydney office of the P. and O. Company asked their Rockhampton agents for all information touching on the port and the trade of Rockhampton, as it had under consideration to make Rockhampton a port of call for the cargo steamers of the company. This would give Rockhampton direct connection by the P. and O. Company both with the Far East and London.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

THE FACTORIES ACT.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

Members of the Labour party waited on the Chief Secretary on Friday, and asked what the Government intended to do to give force to the Factories Act of 1900, which was now useless, because the Legislative Council had refused to endorse the necessary regulations which would enable wages boards to be established. At present wages boards could deal only with the clothing trade, which was provided for by a special Act. Mr. Kirkpatrick said the Government would endeavour to pass necessary regulations, failing which amending legislation would probably be introduced.

MINIMUM STATE WAGE.

Members of the Labour party asked the Premier to introduce into all State-controlled departments a minimum wage of 7s per day. Mr. Price, in reply, said that during the recess the Government had investigated the question with a view of arriving at the probable cost of the step. The Ministry had decided themselves that it was just the thing to do, but the question was how to do it without causing exception. A conclusion had been arrived at that the tendency during years of depression had been to gradually reduce wages. In trying to save additional taxation the evil had grown insidiously, and such big figures would be involved in making the change that the Government had come to the conclusion that the granting of a minimum wage of 7s per day was too big a step to bring about at once. It was the intention to try to get taxation proposals through the Legislature, and then a start would be made in raising wages, thus doing justice to workmen. Pay would be gradually increased in the lower branches, and without bringing about sudden changes he hoped that an ideal would at last be attained. Later on it was intended to place certain lines upon the Estimates in order to do justice to and improve certain departments of the service. Responsibility would then be put upon Parliament to support or reject these proposals.

RAILWAY CONTRACT ABANDONED.

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

The contractors, Messrs. Smith and Dyke, have notified their intention to abandon the contract for the construction of the Pinnaroo railway, owing to wet weather and other reasons. The line has been opened to traffic for a month, and all that is necessary is to ballast with sand.

The Premier states the abandonment of the contract in the present stage is not a serious matter. The contractors were particularly unfortunate in their efforts to secure prompt and adequate supplies of sleepers.

THE WEATHER.

SNOW ON THE HIGHLANDS.

Cloudy and showery conditions continued on the south-western slopes and snow on the southern tablelands during the 24 hours ended at 9 o'clock on Saturday morning. Over the first-mentioned area 47 points at Tumberumba was the only appreciable fall, and on the latter 169 points at Kiandra and 20 points at Delegate were the only two falls worth mentioning. Light sprinkles were also reported from the Canobias country and the extreme South Coast.

Data, Mr. Hunt says, are very meagre, but the Antarctic disturbance is now centrally located off the west coast of New Zealand, where very severe weather is undoubtedly being experienced. Strong westerly gales and high seas, too, are reported from as far north as Norfolk Island.

A little rain is probably to-day on the south-western slopes and snow about Kiandra. Otherwise fine weather is anticipated, with west to south-west winds; but data are very meagre on which to base a forecast.

RISES IN SOUTHERN RIVERS.

MANY PADDOCKS SUBMERGED.

ALBURY, Saturday.

The Murray River, owing to the heavy rains during the past few days, continues to rise rapidly, and has reached 12ft 7in above summer level. Advices from the upper districts state that an increased volume of water is flowing into the river from the hills, and should further heavy rains fall within the next day or so a flood will probably follow. The river at Albury has overflowed its banks on both sides. The brewery paddock and a paddock belonging to Mr. T. Robinson, at Wodonga, are submerged. Between Wodonga Creek and the Murray there is very little dry land. The police have warned settlers that a big flood is expected. Very heavy rain has been falling in the Boggy Mountains, and the police have been advised that an enormous body of water is running in the Kiewa River. The Mitta Mitta also is overflowing its banks.

GUNDAGAI, Saturday.

The Tumut River is in flood. All traffic is blocked between Gundagai and Wagragobilly. A number of excursionists who returned from Sydney this morning for Wagragobilly are stranded in Gundagai. The Tarrabandra flats are covered. Water is running over the main road to the height of four feet in places. Fences have been swept away, but most of the stock were got out of danger. The Murrumbidgee River at Gundagai is very high.

SNOW AT TUMBERUMBA.

TUMBERUMBA, Saturday.

Bitterly cold weather prevails here. The first snow of the season fell yesterday in the town, and it is still snowing. The country is snow-capped as far as the eye can reach, and Mount Kosciusko, viewed from here, presents a magnificent spectacle.

GALES ON VICTORIAN COAST.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

A furious gale swept the coast to-day, causing serious inconvenience and delay to shipping. Blinding squalls of rain and high seas increased the discomfort, if not danger, of the situation. Communication with several of the coastal stations was interrupted owing to the force of the "blow," but, excepting for the breakdown of the Glaucus, which was probably due to the storm, no serious casualties were reported. A number of steamers, including the Time and the Perth, were reported to be sheltering under Wilson's Promontory to-night.

CASUALTIES.

ACCIDENT TO AN ARTILLERYMAN.

J. C. M'Caffrey, 36, a member of B. Company of the R.A.A., met with an accident on Saturday afternoon. He was riding near Kensington when his horse fell upon him, badly crushing his right ankle. He was removed to St. Vincent's Hospital, where he was admitted by Dr. Clifford.

ACCIDENT TO A DOCTOR.

DELEGATE, Saturday.

An accident of a serious nature happened to Dr. Schallt last night. While he was driving to Craigie the horses attached to the vehicle took fright at a camp-fire and bolted for a mile and a half. The buggy capsized at Craigie. The doctor was thrown out and dragged some distance. He escaped with a broken muscle in the back. The horses [illegible] uninjured, but the buggy was smashed.

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WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

QUESTION OF A CLUB LICENSE.

PERTH, Sunday.

Early in the present month the Perth Licensing Court refused the application of Harry Muir Scott for a license for the Cosmopolitan or workman's club, which proposed to take over rooms in Clarence-buildings, on the ground that the plans supplied were not sufficiently descriptive. The Chairman of the Court, Mr. A. S. Rowe, P.M., in giving decision, referred to the fact that certain recognised trades unionists were on the managing committee. Subsequently application was made to the Supreme Court, and the Full Court was asked to make absolute a rule nisi for a mandamus granted by Mr. Justice Burnside on June 12 calling on the Perth Licensing Bench to hear and determine the application of Henry Muir Scott for a certificate for the Cosmopolitan Club. The Chief Justice, in giving the Court's reserved decision on Friday morning, said that the Licensing Bench had stated at the outset that the premises had not been sufficiently described, but he found that the name of the street as required by the Act and the name of the house were given. Several other particulars had been set out which were not required by the Act. He found therefore that the applicant had complied with section 4 of the Act. The other matters mentioned by the Bench did not matter, since before making these comments the Bench had declared by its finding that it had no jurisdiction, or had refused to exercise its jurisdiction; consequently his Honor was of opinion that the Bench had taken a mistaken view of the law, and was wrong in refusing to hear the application. The rule nisi would be made absolute. The appeal was therefore upheld, with costs.

THE MINT RETURNS.

The Mint returns for the month show that the receipts amounted to £125,300oz. The issue of sovereigns equalled £240,126, and gold bullion £40,154; total, £280,280.

THE CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP.

The eighth match in the chess championship, which began last Wednesday, ended on Friday night in a draw on the 44th move. The ninth game began on Saturday, and is unfinished.

NEW ZEALAND.

ADJOURNMENT OF PARLIAMENT.

WELLINGTON, Sunday.

The House of Representatives on Friday night voted supplies for two months, and then formally adjourned till next Wednesday out of respect to the late Premier. The House meets for the despatch of business some time between August 14 and 21.

SAVINGS BANK RETURN.

The annual report of the Post Office Savings Bank was presented to Parliament on Friday. It shows that during 1905 the number of new accounts opened totalled 60,015, and the number closed 43,113. The number of accounts open at the end of the year was 276,066, the total standing to the credit of depositors being £8,662,022, as against £7,761,382 at the close of the previous year. Deposits during the year totalled £6,625,744, and withdrawals £5,984,185. The excess of deposits was £641,559, compared with £171,769 the previous year. Interest paid amounted to £259,081, against £200,930 in 1904.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

The annual report of the Registrar of Friendly Societies shows that at the end of 1904 479 lodges had 47,302 members, the increase for the year being 2049. The funds of the societies aggregated £936,288, the average capital per member being £19 15s 11d.

WORKMEN FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The Dunedin agents of the Oceanic Company report a great demand for second and third class accommodation in the outgoing voyage of the Sonoma by those wishing to take advantage of the high rates ruling at San Francisco for bricklayers and other workmen.

The New Zealand footballers' passages from England via America cost the colony just under £2000.

The Government steamer Tutanekai has left to search for the missing scow Haeremai. If necessary the Tutanekai will go as far as the Kermadecs.

Instructions have been cabled Mr. Donne, now in Sydney, to negotiate with the principal Commonwealth organists with the object of arranging a series of recitals during the Exhibition.

WINTER SCHOOL FOR FARMERS

HAWKESBURY AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

RICHMOND, Friday.

The cultivation of rye, oats, and barley formed the subject of an instructive lecture given by Mr. George Marks this morning. He dealt with the class of soil best suited for each, the method of cultivation, harvesting, etc. The value of each as green feed for stock was explained, but the sowing of a quantity of tares was recommended as providing a larger amount of better food. Rye is particularly valuable for growing on the poorer lands, and the straw carefully saved is valuable for the collarmaker. Dealing with oats, he outlined the differences between the various types, the district best suited to each, also those varieties grown for producing fine or coarse hay, or grain. The wild black oat was specially referred to, how it spreads, and the best means of checking its growth and eradicating it.

The essential qualifications of a good sample of malting barley were defined. To get a uniform sample, uniform sowing in good land was required, so that regular germination would result in the crop ripening its grain evenly throughout. He also referred to the precautions to be observed in threshing, that the grain be not injured in any way, and the advisability of leaving a small amount of the awn on the grain. The best manures for each crop were stated, and the most economical methods of applying the same.

Mr. Musson outlined the reasons for testing seed, and showed trial tests, indicating the effect of various methods of treatment. The tests for purity and vitality were described. Examples of weed seeds taken from samples tested were exhibited. A simple method of testing was shown—two plates with damp blotting paper, between which the seeds are placed. A method of testing paspalum seed was tried by the members of the class, by which the percentage of sound seed could be judged.

Mr. Stuart Pottie delivered a lecture in the afternoon on "Pleuro," which was followed by a series of practical demonstrations at the dairy, amongst the cattle, on "First aids to sick and injured animals." The method of applying bandages, blistering, examining for soundness, inoculating for certain diseases, and the general treatment for sick animals was fully described. In addition, a large number of useful veterinary instruments were exhibited, and their uses and application explained.

Considerable interest is taken in the work of all the various departments on the farm, and each afternoon several students may be found at each branch in search of information.

Mr. Cobb, the farm foreman, has his regular number, and he is freely questioned regarding the breeding and rearing of mules and various breeds of horses; also on matters relating to the most economical ways of housing stock.

To-night the principal gave a lecture on dairying as practised in Australia, illustrated with fine lantern views, also made some remarks on milk and the milking machine.

A MOST ONE-SIDED GAME.

PERTH (W.A.), Saturday.

In the City Police Court on Friday, one Chinese was fined £50, and another Chinese £25, for keeping a common gaming house, where the game of cheefah was played. Mr. Roe, S.M., remarked that as a means of fleecing the market gardener and other Chinese, the old games of pique and fan-tan did not have a "look-in" with cheefah. It was the most one-sided game he had ever heard of.

NIKKO MARU AT BRISBANE.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The Japanese liner Nikko Maru arrived at Pinkenba from Yokohama to-day. Her passengers are:—

For Sydney: Hon. J. Sternberg, M.L.C., Miss A. Sternberg, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. H. Baird, Mrs. F. Bacon, Mrs. C. Perry, Mrs H. F. Elwyn, Mr. D. P. Turner, Messrs. H. C. Mills and Ernest Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bridge, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Benjamin and 2 children and Japanese governess, Mrs. Acton Adams, Miss Welda Leadam, Mr. E. F. Airey, the Hon. B. Legarda, Mr. and Mrs. M. Prieto and child, Mr. T. Earnshaw, Mr. M. Earnshaw, Captain E. A. Cumming.

For Melbourne: Mr. J. Sternberg, Lieutenant Sternberg, Miss E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. K. Singleton, Master F. Singleton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Higgins, Mr. W. Salek, Mr. S. Salek, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dowdall.

For Bronchial Coughs take Woods' Great Peppermint Cure. 1s 6d.—Advt.

TASMANIA.

EFFECT OF THE RECENT RAINFALL

LAUNCESTON, Sunday.

The efforts to divert the water at Blythe Creek, Beaconsfield, back into the original channel has proved unsuccessful. A start has been made by the Tasmania Company to put in fluming, and the men working in the stream are secured by ropes. The work is going on night and day, and hundreds of men are employed. Great care is necessary, owing to the strong current. It is computed that since the subsidence, caused by the recent flood, over 600 million gallons of water have disappeared into the cavity. The water in the Tasmania mine has now increased considerably, and the pumps are working with increased speed.

MOUNT LYELL RAILWAY.

HOBART, Saturday.

Fair progress, considering the exceptionally bad weather prevailing, is being made with repairing the damage on Mount Lyell railway. It is hoped to have trains running through from Strahan by Wednesday next.

SPEECH BY THE PREMIER.

THIRTEEN NEW MEASURES.

HOBART, Sunday.

The Premier journeyed to Port Cygnet on Saturday to address his constituents, but unpropitious weather and other things prevailed, and there was but a sparse attendance. The Premier explained that the revenue for the past year, estimated at £866,630, had realised £900,765. In the estimate the Government calculated on a surplus of £8000 for the year, so that the actual figures will give a surplus of over £42,000. The returns from the Federal Government exceed the estimate by £9000. The expenditure for the year would not exceed the estimate by more than £4000, and the revenue continued buoyant. The Government, he said, had prepared a progressive policy, including at least 13 new measures, one being an assessment of land values, with a view to taxing improvements apart from the land, and a Closer Settlement Bill, embracing assistance to settlers; also a bill to reduce the fees for education.

The steamer Oonah was delayed till 11.50 p.m. on Saturday owing to fearful weather.

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT.

MASONIC INSTALLATION.

The installation of the W.M. of Masonic Lodge Sir Walter Scott, No. 123, and investiture of officers, was held in the Granville Town Hall. Bro. J. Gregory was duly installed, the ceremony being performed by Wor. Bro. W. G. Thomas, I.P.M. The newly-installed W.M. then invested his officers as follows:—I.P.M., Wor. Bro. W. G. Thomas; S.W., Bro. Neil Donoghue; J.W., Bro. O. G. Symons; chaplain, Bro. J. H. Murray; treasurer, Wor. Bro. W. G. Thomas; secretary, Wor. Bro. J. Scarborough; D.C., Wor. Bro. D. G. Richardson; S.D., Bro. J. R. Neilson; J.D., Bro. W. Rowell; organist, Bro. H. C. Pearson; I.G., Bro. J. H. Kearney. At the conclusion of the ceremony the retiring Master, Wor. Bro. Thomas, was presented with a handsome Past Master's jewel.

COMMONWEALTH CADET CORPS.

The "Commonwealth Government Gazette" of Saturday contains a number of appointments in connection with the Commonwealth Cadet Corps. The senior officers are as follow:—Officer Commanding Commonwealth Cadet Corps, New South Wales: Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Paul, V.D. Majors: Major David Wiley, Major John Lumsden, and to command No. 5 Battalion; Major George Arthur Blumer; Major Henry Lovell, and to command No. 4 Battalion; Major Michael Jacques Jacob, and to command No. 1 Battalion; Major George Rourke, and to be adjutant No. 2 Battalion; Major Isaiah Chaseling, and to command No. 3 Battalion.

LAWN TENNIS.

INTERCLUB COMPETITION.

The results of Saturday's matches were as follow:—

A CLASS.

Balmoral v Sydney No. 3.

Parker-Bowker v E. Rice-Browne, 6-3, 6-1.
Clark-Kidston v Wickham-Strickland, 6-5, 6-2.
Parker-Bowker v Wickham-Strickland, 6-3, 6-2.
Clark-Kidston v E. Rice-Browne, 6-4, 6-3.
Balmoral, 8 sets 48 games; Sydney No. 3, 23 games.

Carleton v Strathfield.

Hinder-Pockley v E. Jones-Anderson, 6-1, 6-5.
Doust-Goddard v Kelynack-Lawson, 6-3, 6-4.
Hinder-Pockley v Kelynack-Lawson, 6-5, 6-5.
Doust-Goddard v E. Jones-Anderson, 6-2, 6-3.
Carleton, 8 sets 48 games; Strathfield, 25 games.

Wahgunyah v Sydney No. 1.

T. and A. Hicks v Turton-Fox, 5-6, 4-6.
E. and H. Hicks v Marsh-Marsh, 6-5, 6-5.
E. and H. Hicks v Turton-Fox, 6-4, 6-3.
T. and A. Hicks v Marsh-Marsh, 6-5, 6-3.
Wahgunyah, 6 sets 45 games; Sydney No. 1, 2 sets 37 games.

Manly v Chatswood.

Allerton-O'Connor v N. Y. Deane-Clarke, 6-5, 6-4.
Ridge-Ridge v Uther-Deane, 5-6, 6-2.
Allerton-O'Connor v Uther-Deane, 4-6, 6-2.
Ridge-Ridge v N. Y. Deane-Clarke, 2-6, 5-6.
Manly, 4 sets 40 games; Chatswood, 4 sets 37 games.

Glen Ayr, walk-over; Sydney No. 2 retired.

Stanmore, a bye.

"B" CLASS.

Strathfield No. 1 v Sydney No. 1.

Bunting-Rudder v Roseby-Teece, 6-5, 5-6.
Bunting-Rudder v Armstrong-Gilchrist, 6-3, 6-3.
Howell-Loudon v Armstrong-Gilchrist, 1-4, 4-6.
Howell-Loudon v Roseby-Teece, 6-3, 6-3.
Strathfield No. 1, 5 sets 40 games; Sydney No. 1, 3 sets 37 games.

Chatswood No. 1 v Drummoyne.

Lindeman-Thomas v Brennand-Doyle, 3-6, 6-2.
Amphlett-Addison v Brennand-Doyle, 6-5, 6-5.
Amphlett-Addison v Dixon-Ramsay, 6-4, 6-1.
Lindeman-Thomas v Dixon-Ramsay, 6-5, unfinished.
Chatswood No. 1, 5 sets 39 games; Drummoyne, 1 set 26 games.

University No. 1 v Tarrawarra No. 1.

Pitt-Docker v G. Crane-Houston, 6-3, 6-1.
Pitt-Docker v Armstrong-Harris, 6-3, 6-5.
Frew-Smith v G. Crane-Houston, 6-2, 6-4.
Frew-Smith v Armstrong-Harris, 6-1, 6-3.
University No. 1, 8 sets 48 games; Tarrawarra No. 1, 26 games.

Stanmore v Tarrawarra No. 2.

Roseby-Harris v R. Crane-K. Harris, 6-3, 6-3.
Wright-Jones v R. Crane-K. Harris, 6-3, 5-6.
Wright-Jones v Dickens-Barton, 6-5, 4-6.
Roseby-Hadley v Dickens-Barton, 4-6, 6-5.
Stanmore, 5 sets 43 games; Tarrawarra No. 2, 3 sets 37 games.

Kerribree v Ashenhurst.

Verge-Artlett v Smith-Dunlop, 1-6, 6-4.
Berry-Baird v Gorman-Morey, 6-2, 6-3.
Verge-Artlett v Gorman-Morey, 6-3, 6-3.
Berry-Baird v Smith-Dunlop, 6-3, 6-4.
Kerribree, 7 sets 43 games; Ashhurst, 1 set 29 games.

Strathfield v Wayfield.

Butler-Bradshaw v Johnson-Morris, 2-6, 4-6.
Butler-Bradshaw v Way-Way, 6-2, 5-6.
Ashcroft-M'Robert v Way-Way, 2-6, 4-6.
Ashcroft-M'Robert v Johnson-Morris, 5-6, 2-6.
Wayfield, 7 sets 44 games; Strathfield, 1 set 29 games.

Chatswood No. 2 v Mosman.

Jenkins-M'Nall v Rotton-Radford, 2-5, 6-5.
Jenkins-M'Nall v Robinson-Tidswell, 5-6, 5-6.
Lobban-Robinson v Robinson-Tidswell, 5-6, 6-1.
Lobban-Robinson v Rotton-Radford, 6-0, 5-6.
Chatswood No. 2, 3 sets 40 games; Mosman, 5 sets 36 games.

"C" CLASS.

University No. 2 v Sydney No. 2.

Waddell-Watson v Smith-Ridge, 6-2, 6-4.
Waddell-Watson v Farquhar-Raymond, 6-2, 4-6.
White-Niall v Farquhar-Raymond, 5-6, 2-6.
White-Niall v Smith-Ridge, 6-5, 6-3.
University No. 2, 5 sets 41 games; Sydney No. 2, 3 sets 34 games.

Enmore v University No. 1.

Baber-Digman v Prescott-Ward, 4-6, 3-6.
Baber-Digman v D'Apice-Sharp, 6-1, 6-1.
Taylor-Baldwin v D'Apice-Sharp, 6-5, 6-3.
Taylor-Baldwin v Prescott-Ward, 6-4, 4-6.
Enmore, 5 sets 41 games; University, 3 sets 32 games.

Birchgrove v University No. 4.

Harris-Young v Mort-Paton, 6-1, 6-1.
Williams-Kessell v Mort-Paton, 6-0, 6-3.
Harris-Young v Minnett-Walker, 6-0, 6-1.
Williams-Kessell v Minnett-Walker, 6-3, 6-0.
Birchgrove, 8 sets 48 games; University No. 4, 9 games.

Mosman No. 2 v Stanmore.

Tilley-Hughes v Hawkins-Allpress, 6-3, 6-0.
Tilley-Hughes v Bowden-Bowes, 6-3, 6-2.
Everett-Williams v Bowden-Bowes, 5-6, 6-3.
Everett-Williams v Hawkins-Allpress, 6-2, 6-1.
Mosman No. 2, 7 sets 47 games; Stanmore, 1 set 20 games.

Summer Hill v Manly No. 2.

Elphinston-Hudson v Freeman-M'Coy, 6-4, 2-6.
Elphinston-Hudson v Williams-Oakes, 6-4, 6-2.
Lack-Johnston v Williams-Oakes, 6-1, 5-6.
Lack-Johnston v Freeman-M'Coy, 6-1, 6-2.
Summer Hill, 6 sets 43 games; Manly No. 2, 2 sets 27 games.

Kuring-gai No. 2 v Chatswood.

This match was postponed.

Mosman 1 v Grammar School.

Mosman received a forfeit from Grammar School.

Strathfield v Kuring-gai No. 1.

Morse-Johnston v Delohery-Calvert, 6-2, 2-6.
Morse-Johnston v Byrkmire-Coombe, 5-6, 6-5.
Hoskins-Francis v Byrkmire-Coombe, 5-6, 2-6.
Hoskins-Francis v Delohery-Calvert, 6-2, 6-2.
Strathfield, 4 sets 38 games; Kuring-gal, 4 sets 35 games.

Haberfield v Manly No. 1.

Harders-Jones v Smith-Rowe, 6-2, 6-2.
Harders-Jones v Johnson-Patterson, 4-6, 6-5.
Train-Middleton v Johnson-Patterson, 6-2, 4-6.
Train-Middleton v Smith-Rowe, 4-6, 6-1.
Haberfield, 5 sets 42 games; Manly, 3 sets 31 games.

Kerribree v University No. 3.

Poggioli-Watkins v Utz-Christie, 6-3, 3-6.
Poggioli-Watkins v Ruse-Tebbutt, 5-6, 6-5.
Parker-Deakin v Ruse-Tebbutt, 6-2, 6-1.
Parker-Deakin v Utz-Christie, 6-4, 2-6.
Kerribree, 5 sets 41 games; University, 3 sets 35 games.

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STATE REVENUE.

YEAR'S RETURNS.

INCREASE OF £930,000 IN REVENUE.

The revenue returns for June and for the financial year ended June 30 were issued by the Treasury late on Saturday. They show that the receipts for the 12 months amounted to £12,267,532, as compared with £11,336,918 for the preceding financial year, an increase of £930,614. The receipts for June were £1,116,136, as compared with £1,093,736 for June, 1905, the increase being £22,400. The following tables give the details of the receipts and comparisons with the preceding periods:—

TEN YEAR'S REVENUE.

	Year ended June 30, 1905.	Year ended June 30, 1906.	Decrease.	Increase.
Revenue Proper.	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth returns	2,529,070	2,742,770	—	213,730
Stamps	478,166	589,894	—	111,728
Land tax	332,530	338,509	—	5,974
Income tax	231,442	274,575	—	43,133
Licenses	123,112	121,913	1,199	—
Land revenue	1,842,344	1,817,412	24,932	—
Mint receipts	20,123	20,482	—	359
Fees for escort of gold	340	342	—	2
Pilotage, harbour dues, etc.	71,136	82,526	—	11,390
Fees, registration brands	1,479	1,773	—	291
Public school fees	82,612	75,957	6,655	—
Agricultural colleges, etc.	11,597	10,952	645	—
Fees of office	108,111	114,718	—	6,607
Rents—Exclusive of land	26,198	23,371	2,827	—
Fines and forfeitures	16,836	17,456	—	620
Miscellaneous services	63,996	62,899	1,097	—
Country towns W.S., interest	19,823	22,967	—	3,144
Country towns sewge., interest	163	361	—	198
Superannuation Act	19,269	17,684	1,585	—
Water rights receipts	494	423	71	—
Church and school lands	1,673	1,375	298	—
Advances to Settlers Board	16,524	21,795	—	5,271
Darling Harbour resumptions	56,156	49,502	6,654	—
Centenary Park land sales	4,576	11,500	—	6,924
Unclassified receipts	129,705	131,858	—	2,153
Total	6,187,475	6,553,014		
Less refunds	139,505	142,307		
Net	6,047,970	6,410,707		
Business Undertakings.				
Railways and tramways	4,556,451	5,114,407	—	557,956
Sydney Harbour Trust	256,371	271,150	—	14,779
Metropolitan water rates	265,980	272,693	—	6,713
Metropolitan sewerage rates	213,493	220,312	—	6,829
Hunter District water rates	34,468	39,806	—	5,338
Total	5,326,853	5,918,450		
Less refunds	37,905	61,634		
Net	5,288,948	5,856,825		
			45,962	1,003,108
Gross totals	11,514,328	12,471,473	—	957,145
Total net revenue and receipts proper	11,336,918	12,267,532	—	930,614

RECEIPTS FOR JUNE.

Head of Revenue or Receipt.	June, 1905.	June, 1906.	Decrease.	Increase.
Revenue Proper.	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth returns	168,612	157,728	10,884	—
Stamps	51,720	30,450	21,270	—
Land tax	2,613	1,936	677	—
Income tax	161,135	185,699	—	24,564
Licenses	53,138	52,038	1,100	—
Land revenue	112,053	131,935	—	19,882
Mint receipts	2,973	3,030	—	57
Fees for escort of gold	67	46	21	—
Pilotage, harbour dues, etc	5,456	7,421	—	1,965
Fees, registration brands	118	158	—	40
Public School fees	8,967	5,418	3,549	—
Agricultural colleges etc	807	1,164	—	357
Fees of offices	8,777	8,821	—	44
Rents—Exclusive of land	3,266	2,895	371	—
Fines and forfeitures	1,564	1,635	—	71
Miscellaneous services	9,300	8,470	830	—
Country towns W.S., interest	2,106	1,868	238	—
Country towns sewerage, interest	—	—	—	—
Superannuation Act	2,471	2,940	—	469
Water rights receipts	22	68	—	46
Church and school lands	108	105	3	—
Advances to settlers' board	1,213	2,287	—	1,074
Darling Harbour resumptions	5,165	5,525	—	360
Centenary Park land sales	4,576	11,500	—	6,924
Unclassified receipts	46,008	25,274	20,734	—
Total	632,341	648,511		
Less refunds	7,284	11,113		
Net	645,057	637,398		
Business Undertakings.				
Railways and tramways	403,345	455,060	—	51,715
Sydney Harbour Trust	23,496	24,679	—	1,183
Metropolitan water rates	13,754	15,151	—	1,397
Metropolitan sewerage rates	10,913	10,149	764	—
Hunter district water rates	1,871	1,741	130	—
Total	453,379	506,780		
Less refunds	4,700	28,042		
Net	448,679	478,738		
			60,577	110,148
Gross totals	1,105,720	1,155,291		49,571
Total net revenue and receipts proper	1,093,736	1,116,136	—	22,400

GOVERNMENTAL AND BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.

The following statement shows the net revenue from Governmental and Business undertakings respectively:—

	Governmental. Gross.	Governmental. Net.	Business Undertakings. Gross.	Business Undertakings. Net.
	£	£	£	£
June, 1905	—	645,057	—	448,679
June, 1906	—	637,398	—	478,738
	—	D. 7,659	—	In. 30,059
Quarter ended June, 30, 1905	1,762,035	1,727,066	1,343,802	1,329,721
Quarter ended June 30, 1906	1,815,540	1,778,542	1,516,518	1,481,628
Increase	53,505	41,476	172,716	151,907
For year ended June 30, 1905	6,187,475	6,047,970	5,326,853	5,288,948
For year ended June 30, 1906	6,553,614	6,410,707	5,918,459	5,856,825
Increases	365,539	362,737	591,606	567,877

Net increase on the month ended June 30, 1906, £22,400; net increase on the quarter ended June 30, 1906, £193,383; net increase on the year ended June 30, 1906, £930,614.

SYDNEY TRAINING COLLEGE.

The fifth of the winter course of extension lectures organised by the acting principal, Mr. J. D. St. Clair Maclardy, M.A., was delivered on Saturday morning last at the college (Blackfriars). The lecturer on this occasion was Mr. J. O. A. Bourke, B.A., who took for his subject "The Aim of the Teacher of Mathematics." He emphasised the necessity of having a definite aim in view, and referred to the abuse to which mathematical subjects had been subjected in the past. There had been too much attention paid to the learning of tables and to the application of formal meaningless rules. Results had been the sole end in view. This idealisation of rules had had a most baneful effect, but had been readily taken up, because it afforded an easy "penny-in-the-slot" method of arriving at answers. Mechanical facility had certainly resulted, but the teacher who posted himself in the most modern ideas would find there was more in the subject than a mere utilitarian value. He would keep in view its culture value, and problems would now be investigated rather by the exercise of common sense than by rule. The value thus lay in the exercise of the reasoning faculties, and in the steps taken to get the results, not in the results themselves. The lecturer also referred to the moral value of mathematical studies.

A letter from the Premier was read, in which he expressed his complete sympathy with the course of lectures organised at the Training College by Mr. Maclardy.

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COUNTRY NEWS.

MOUNTAIN INDUSTRIES.

LITHGOW, Friday.

At the ironworks every department is working up to its capacity. The wet weather somewhat retarded work at the steel furnace. Burraga copper works are working full time.

PORT KEMBLA WATER SUPPLY.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

At a public meeting held last night for the purpose of considering the position of the people at Port Kembla in regard to water supply, it was decided that the member for the district be asked to arrange for a deputation to interview the Minister for Works to urge an extension of the water supply.

SOUTHERN COAL TRADE.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

For this pay Corrimal colliery has 11 days, Mount Kembla 11, Mount Keira 7½, and Mount Pleasant 7½. The coal shipped for Sydney at Wollongong this week was:—Palmerston, 1500 tons; Wallsend, 920; Mount Kembla, 650; and Timaru, 225. At Port Kembla the Nerga loaded 500 tons for Sydney, and the Ashbridge 2900 tons for Fremantle. The Nardoo is loading part cargo of coal, and the Karitane a cargo of coal.

At a meeting of the Mount Kembla Lodge it was decided to make a fresh claim for 1½d per ton due for coal gotten on the night shift. Mount Kembla Coal Company is preparing for an extensive improvement to the permanent way and rolling stock. The company is desirous of providing a sufficient number of trucks to store coal in readiness for large orders. Already the line has been practically rebuilt all the way up to the mine. Heavy iron girders have replaced wooden ones in the bridges, and gradients have been cut down and improved.

BEGA, Friday.

The annual ball in aid of the funds of the Nazaretto Convent at Bega was held on Wednesday night in the Agricultural Hall, at the Bega showground, and was attended by 120 couples. A Cinderella ball with the same object was held last night. There was an increased attendance. In addition to the children, over 100 couples, adults, attended. The gross takings, which will nearly all be profit, are estimated to reach aout £70.

BLAYNEY, Friday.

Under arrangements with the People's Reform League, Colonel Bell delivered an address in the Town Hall last night on "Democracy versus Socialism."

CASSILIS, Friday.

A presentation was made to Mr. A. Hooke, jun., of Tia and Turee stations, on Tuesday night, at the Cassilis Hotel, prior to his marriage. Among those present were Messrs. F. D. M'Master, who presided, S. J. Scully, S. Rouse (of Guntawang), H. W. Smith, A. Payne, W. C. Lawrence, J. Fraser, J. J. Goulding, S. Huxley, and E. W. Parker. The gift comprised three pieces of silver, engraved and suitably inscribed.

COBAR, Saturday.

Mr. W. H. Trewenack, general mine manager for the Great Cobar Copper Mine Syndicate here, is severing his connection with the syndicate, and will leave in a few days.

COOTAMUNDRA, Friday.

At a public meeting held in the Town Hall, and presided over by the Mayor, Alderman Lester, resolutions were passed to petition the larger general storekeepers to discontinue the practice of delivering goods to farmers, etc., in the district, and outside the municipality, thus compelling them to visit the town, and thereby give the smaller men an equal chance to compete for their trade.

DAPTO, Friday.

Last night Mr. A. Campbell, who is retiring from West Dapto Public school after 35 years' service, was presented by the citizens with a purse of sovereigns as a token of esteem and regard.

SINGLETON, Thursday.

The amalgamation of Singleton and South Singleton municipalities having been accomplished, the aldermen of each council met tonight to elect a Mayor of the united borough. Alderman Henry York, Mayor of Singleton, was unanimously elected to the position.

TAMWORTH, Friday.

Mr. A. M. Dunn, of the local Survey office, who has been transferred to Moree in consequence of the Land Board district alterations, was presented with a purse of sovereigns to-day. Alderman W. F. Tribe, Mayor, made the presentation on behalf of Mr. Dunn's friends.

DARLING HARBOUR TRADE.

FORTY YEARS' GROWTH.

PRESENTATION TO MR. C. PAULL.

Mr. C. Paull, who recently retired from the position of stationmaster at Darling Harbour, was entertained at dinner at the A.B.C. Rooms, Pitt-street, on Saturday night, and made the recipient of a purse of sovereigns and an illuminated address. The gathering, which comprised about 200 railway men, was presided over by Mr. J. G. S. Corns, goods manager, and among those present were Mr. H. Richardson (superintendent of lines), Mr. J. Horan (who has succeeded to Mr. Paull's position as stationmaster at Darling Harbour), Mr. G. Armstrong (the new assistant stationmaster), Mr. A. Tooth (foreman), Mr. J. Bissett (stationmaster at Redfern), Mr. M. Donnellan (stationmaster at Granville), Mr. W. E. Swan (chief clerk at Darling Harbour), Messrs. T. Simpson and G. Hawke (honorary treasurers of the testimonial movement), and Messrs. P. M'Carthy and T. Rice (honorary secretaries). An apology was made for the non-attendance of Mr. J. Harper (chief traffic manager). The toast of the Railway Commissioners, proposed by Mr. G. Hawke, was responded to by the chairman. The toast of "Our Guest" was proposed by Mr. T. Keane and supported by the chairman, Mr. H. Richardson, Mr. P. M'Carthy, and Mr. T. Simpson, the last-mentioned handing over the presentation on behalf of the staff at Darling Harbour.

Mr. Corns explained that Mr. Paull took charge of Darling Harbour in 1875, but retained his control of Redfern goods as foreman till 1879. He had been 41 years in the service, and 30 years at Darling Harbour. The tonnage at Darling Harbour in 1875 was 36,390, and the revenue £18,646, while the tonnage for last year was 1,400,012, and the revenue £1,189,557. The staff had grown from five men to 315, and up to 400 in the busy seasons. In 1890 the Pyrmont Wharf was opened. In May, 1891, the coal was shipped with three cranes, capable of dealing with 3000 tons per day, and in that year 18,738 tons were shipped. In 1905, 191,695 tons of coal were shipped there. The wheat sheds were capable of holding 1,600,000 bushels. In 1900-1, the wheat shipped was 3,311,904 bushels. In 1901-2 the amount was 2,749,316 bushels. In 1902-3 there were no shipments, owing to the drought. In 1903-4 a record was reached, viz., 8,148,884 bushels. In 1904-5 4,539,316 bushels were shipped, and in 1905-6 (up to June 19) the shipments had amounted to 3,990,700 bushels. The wool traffic was first received at Redfern in 1865, when 23,612 bales were dealt with. Last year (40 years later) the traffic amounted to 565,970 bales. From 1865 to 1905 inclusive 10,386,813 bales of wool went through Mr. Paull's hands. The greatest number of bales in any one day at Darling Harbour was in November, 1905, when the total reached 10,628 bales.

Mr. Paull, in responding to the toast of his health, which was honoured with enthusiasm, explained that when he joined the service in 1865 the lines were only surveyed as far as Picton, Penrith, and Richmond, and between Newcastle and Maitland. There were altogether 160 miles of railway, and a staff of 400. Now there were 3339 miles of railway, and a staff of 13,600.

The toasts of the successors at Darling Harbour was responded to by Mr. J. Horan, Mr. G. Armstrong, and Mr. A. Tooth.

DISTURBANCE ON A STEAMER.

A CHINAMAN SHOT.

Shortly before 10 o'clock on Saturday morning a disturbance occurred on the steamer Chiswick, which is lying in Snail's Bay. A Chinaman named Li Hung being wounded in the back, also in one of his thighs and a leg, by revolver bullets. The injured man is a seaman on the vessel, which arrived from America timber-laden about 10 days ago, and was in charge of a number of Chinese. When the disturbance occurred Li Hung attempted to interfere, but one of the Chinamen resented his efforts, and drawing a revolver fired several shots, which took effect. Li Hung immediately fell to the deck. His wounds were temporarily dressed, and he was sent ashore, whence the Civil Ambulance conveyed him to Sydney Hospital. Dr. Palmer, who examined the sufferer, ordered his admittance to the institution. The Water Police were informed, and later arrested a Chinaman on a charge of wounding Li Hung with intent to murder. The accused will appear at the Water Police Court to-day.

An artesian well has been bored at Baltic House, the large buildings just completed in Leadenhall-street, London, and a good supply of water obtained, which is remarkable for its softness. The well was carried to a depth of 450ft, and water can be raised to the top of the building at the rate of 2500 gallons per hour. It is realised that owners of large buildings in any part of London can obtain an abundant supply of pure water by boring to the underground springs which exist in the chalk beds, and by lining the bore hole with steel casing to a depth of 200ft or 300ft all risk of contamination or injury to foundations of buildings is avoided.

NEWCASTLE.

COAL AND OTHER EXPORTS.

NEWCASTLE, Sunday.

The following vessels cleared at the Customs yesterday:—Era, s, for Port Pirie, via Wallaroo, with 3700 tons coal; Moorabool, s, for Melbourne, with 4700 tons coal, 20 tons coke, and 161 ingots of copper; Tweeddale, s, for Wellington, with 7000 tons coal, 300 sleepers, and quantity of timber.

ST. THOMAS' SCHOOL.

ADDRESS BY THE CARDINAL.

Cardinal Moran yesterday blessed a memorial stone in the new school and parish hall in course of erection alongside St. Thomas' Roman Catholic Church, Lewisham.

The Cardinal congratulated the parish upon its continued progress and the excellent scholastic work being accomplished. Lewisham, he found, had made astonishing developments. Its fine hospital, church, high school, and its day schools showed that the people were alive to the value of such establishments in connection with the material and spiritual welfare of the district. Such developments were in accordance with the best traditions of the Church, whose special mission it was to perpetuate and disseminate the blessings of Divine truth. Their work was of a threefold character. They had first to diffuse the blessings of benevolence and charity, second to spread the light of Christian wisdom and enlightenment, and third to promote the spirit of genuine patriotism. It was interesting that after the age of active persecution had passed the Catholic charitable institutions had multiplied on every side. Those who had assailed the Church from time to time, and stigmatised it as the enemy of enlightenment and the friend of darkness, had themselves made efforts to establish educational systems, which had crumbled to dust. If Australia would follow the traditional teaching and development of the Church it would achieve the destinies marked out for it.

Dr. Donovan, K.C., moved that a subscription list be opened, and said that the question of Catholic education soared high above that of party politics. He emphasised the duty of parents to their children in connection with the training of the heart, mind, and soul. Catholic parents could not hand over to the State the teaching of their children until assured that the safeguards for them were complete. The Catholic Church and Catholic people could not allow religious teaching to be given to their children except by qualified teachers, able to answer such questions. It was a physical impossibility for Catholic priests to teach in the country Public schools.

Alderman F. L. Langdon (Mayor of Petersham) seconded the motion, which was carried.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Observatory, Sunday.

Average rainfall for 47 years 49.047.
Average for 48 years, January 1 to May 31, 24.152.
Total from January 1 to June 30, 16.893.
Total for corresponding period last year, 25.844.
Greatest wind velocity: Saturday, 15 miles; Sunday, 27 miles from SW.
Temperatures: Saturday, maximum 56.1, minimum 44.9; Sunday, maximum 58.5, minimum 44.2, 9 p.m. 50.
Barometer: Saturday 9 a.m. 30.030; Sunday, 9 a.m. 29.945, 9 p.m. 29.864.
Humidity: Saturday, 9 a.m. 59.

BAROMETER READINGS AT 9 A.M. SATURDAY.

Portland, 30.08; Melbourne 30.10; Wilson's Promontory, 30.06; Cape St. George, 29.95; Newcastle, 30.01; Port Macquarie, 30.04; Clarence Heads, 30.05.

RAIN REGISTRATIONS.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. Saturday).—Adelong 10 points, Albury 1, Burrowa 3, Bombala 5, Carcoar 4, Cootamundra 3, Delegate 20, Gabo 14, Germanton 1, Goulburn 6, Hill End 3, Junee 1, Kiandra 126, Murrumburrah 4, Orange 3, Rockley 5, Taralga 7, Tarcutta 3, Tumberumba 47, Tumut 7, Yass 2, Young 3.

Additional reports at 4 p.m.: Kiandra 3 points, snowing; Tumut, raining.

Sunday report: Gabo, showery.

SCOPE OF THE RAINFALL.

New South Wales (24 hours ended 9 a.m. Saturday).—Light to moderate over southern highlands and on extreme south coast.

SYNOPSIS.

New South Wales (for 8 hours ended 9 a.m. Saturday).—Boisterous conditions prevailed generally, particularly on the coast; rain fell along the south-western slopes, and snow on the southern tablelands; fine weather obtained in other parts.

RIVER REPORTS.

The heights of the inland rivers on Saturday were as follow:—Albury, 12ft 10in; Balranald, 11ft 9in; Bingara, low; Boggabilla, 6in, f; Booligal, 3ft; Bourke, 10ft 2in; Brewarrina, 3ft 8in; Condobolin, 1ft 6in; Cowra, 4ft 5in; Dubbo, 2ft; Euabalong, 1ft 6in, f; Euston, 17ft; Goodooga, 7in; Gundagai, 17ft 3in, r; Gunnedah, low; Hay, 9ft 11in; Hillston, stopped running; Louth, 2ft 10in; Manilla, low; Menindie, 4ft 2in; Mungindi, 2ft 5in, f; Moulamein, 9ft 4in; Pooncarie, 9ft 9 in; Tilpa, 5in, r; Tocumwal, 13ft 9in; Wagga Wagga, 18 9in; Wentworth, 10ft 5in; Wilcannia, 4ft 5in; Yetman, low; Barwon River, at Walgett, 5ft 3in; Namoi River, at Walgett, 2ft 9in.

Note.—R, rising; f, falling.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 6.30 P.M. SUNDAY.

Woolgoolga, N, light, clear, sea moderate; Nambucca Heads, calm, clear, sea moderate; Port Macquarie, W, light, fine, sea slight; Manning Heads, NW, light, fine, sea rough; Seal Rocks, W, strong, fine, sea moderate; Port Stephens, W, strong, fine, sea moderate; Newcastle, SW, fine, sea slight; Barranjoey W, fresh, fine, sea slight; South Head, WSW, light, fine, sea slight; Wollongong, W, strong, cloudy, sea smooth; Kiama, W, fresh, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, W, fresh, fine, sea slight; Moruya, W, fresh, fine, sea smooth; Eden, SW, fresh, cloudy, sea slight; Green Cape, SW, fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Gabo Island, W, fresh, gloomy, showery, sea moderate.

FORECAST AT 9 P.M. SUNDAY.

New South Wales.—Generally fine and cold; westerly winds; light showers on south-west slopes, snow on the Alps.—H. A. Hunt.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR JULY 2.

Sun rises 7 a.m., sets 4.58 p.m.; Moon, 1.53 p.m., 1.52 a.m.; Mercury, 8.33 a.m., 6.38 p.m.; Venus, 9.13 a.m., 7.36 p.m.; Mars, 7.14 a.m., 5.5 p.m.; Jupiter, 5.51 a.m., 3.51 p.m. Saturn, 9.59 p.m., 10.51 a.m.

Full moon, July 6; last quarter, 13th.

High water at Fort Denison, 4.37 a.m., 5.9 p.m.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 7 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 3.45 p.m.
Eden.—Eden, 1 p.m.
Macleay River.—Burrawong, 3 p.m.
Cooktown, Thursday Island, and Gulf Ports, via Brisbane.—Maranoa, 3.45 p.m.
Port Macquarie.—Pyrmont, 4 p.m.
Nambucca Heads and Macksville.—Nerong, 4 p.m.
Macleay River.—Hastings, 4 p.m.
Hongkong, via Newcastle.—Arroya, 5.30 p.m.
Manning River.—Electra, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Wardell (R.R.).—Ramornie, 1 p.m.
Nelson's Bay and Tea Gardens.—Hawke, 4 p.m.
Bellinger Heads.—Rosedale, 5 p.m.
United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius.—Overland to Adelaide, and thence per R.M.S. Orient, 5.30 p.m.
R.M.S. Orient (letters addressed to persons on board).—Overland to Adelaide, 5.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide.—R.M.S. Orient, 5.30 p.m.
Dunedin, etc. (N.Z.), via Melbourne.—Waikare, 5.30 p.m.
Hobart, via Melbourne.—Waikare, 5.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Loongana, 5.30 p.m.
Clarence River.—Kallatina, 8 p.m.
Byron Bay.—Noorbar, 9 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

Launceston, via Eden.—Wakatipu, 9 a.m.
Eden.—Wakatipu, 9 a.m.
Auckland, etc., N.Z. (direct).—Mokoia, noon.
Fiji, from Auckland.—Moura, noon.
Tahiti and Rarotonga, from Auckland.—Hauroto, noon.
Hobart.—Westralia, 3 p.m.
Natal and Capetown, via Melbourne.—Moravian, 7 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and North-west Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Orion, 7 p.m.

THURSDAY.

Eden.—Bega, 9 a.m.
Auckland, N.Z., Samoa, Navigators Islands, Honolulu, U.S. of America, Canada, Central America, West Indies, United Kingdom, and Continent of Europe.—Oceanic S.S. Sonoma, 11 a.m. (Except for letters placed in the foreign receiver, G.P.O., which may be posted for inclusion in the mail up to 11.30 a.m., without late fee.)
Chili and Peru.—Ditto ditto, 11 a.m.
Ballina, Broadwater, and Wardell (R.R.).—City of Grafton, 1 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide and Albany.—Hobart, 5.30 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and North-west Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Flora, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY.

Eden.—Eden, 9 a.m.

SATURDAY.

Byron Bay.—Cavanba, 8 a.m.
New Britain, German New Guinea, Manila (P.I.), Hongkong, and Japan.—Willehad, 10 a.m.
Wellington, etc., N.Z. (direct).—Monowai, noon.
Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, Chili, and Rio Janeiro, via Wellington.—Athenic, noon.
Richmond River.—Tomki, 1 p.m.
Nelson's Bay and Tea Gardens.—Hawke, 4 p.m.
Clarence River.—Kyogle, 5 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide and Fremantle.—Kyarra, 9.30 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and North-west Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Orion, 9.30 p.m.
Shortland Islands, Solomon Islands, Port Moresby, and British New Guinea ports, Samarai, and Hall Sound, via Brisbane.—R.M.S. Moresby, 9.30 p.m.

DESPATCH OF MAILS FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM AND OTHER PLACES.

Overland to Adelaide and thence per Orient Company's steamer Orient, July 3.

Letters.—Registered, 3.30 p.m.; ordinary, 5.30 p.m. 2d the ½oz for United Kingdom, Canada, Ceylon, India, Hongkong, British agencies in China and Straits Settlements, and 2½d the ½oz. for all other foreign countries.

Newspapers, Books, Samples, and Packets.—3.30 p.m.

Late letters for the United Kingdom and foreign countries will be received at the General Post Office up to 6.5 p.m. Late fee, one rate of postage extra each letter.

Late letters for the United Kingdom and foreign countries can be posted in the late letter-box, Redfern Railway Station (opposite the Inquiry Office), up to 7.35 p.m. Late fee, one rate of postage extra each letter.

For rates to places other than the United Kingdom, see "Postal Guide."

Mails for the United Kingdom per Orient Company's steamship Orient will be due in London on August 7.

For Influenza and Colds in the Head Woods' Great Peppermint Cure. 1s 6d.—Advt.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—June 30.

Orontes, R.M.S., 9023 tons, Captain J. F. Ruthven, from London, via ports. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Millton, Misses Millton (2), Miss Haine, Mr. Smither, Mr. Atherton, Mr. and Miss Dyer, Mr. T. D. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Masters Thompson (2), Miss Grimes, Mrs. Bonwick and two children, Dr. J. W. Power, Mrs. James, Mr. Feldtmann, Mr. J. L. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Larkin, Miss Riggall, Mrs. and Miss Neave, Mrs. Munro and two children, Mr. T. Ward, Miss Ferguson, Miss Sweeting, Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd and two children, Mr. Aston, Dr. Bush, Miss Chalmers, Mr. C. Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. A. Waller, Miss E. Thomas, Miss A. Lunn, Mr. Welch, Mr. H. E. Outred, Mr. J. G. Chambers, Mrs. Felkins and child. For Brisbane: Mr. and Mrs. Atherton, Mr. A. Stevenson, Mrs. and Miss Somerset and child, Mr. H. Fawcett, Mr. F. Phillips; in addition to 91 in other classes for Sydney and for Brisbane, and a large number of passengers from interstate ports. David Anderson, agent.

Medic, s, 11,985 tons, Captain James, from Liverpool, via Capetown and ports. Passengers—From Liverpool: Mr. W. Ansley, Mrs. L. Bocktrout, Nurse A. Bacon, Mr. T. Britten, Mr. and Mrs. J. Briscoe, Mr. H. Brisco, Miss M. Brisco, Mr. B. Craig, Miss E. Craven, Miss A. Comrie, Mr. S. Dunsmore, Miss M. Dudgeon, Miss A. Dryborough, Mr. F. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. W. Forth, Mr. T. Godart, Mr. G. Golman, Mr. C. Gardner, Mr. A. Gardner, Miss E. Gill, Mr. A. Hassall, Mr. T. Harper, Mrs. M. Hanlon, Mrs. E. Harvey, Master Henry Harvey, Miss O. Lacone, Miss A. Lester, Mr. J. Merritt, Nurse E. Myers, Mr. H. Northcote, Mrs. A. Prendley, Master A. Prendley, Master L. Prendley, Mr. H. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. E. Roberts, Mr. G. Sykes, Mr. G. Sprot, Mr. G. Thompson, Miss M. Thompson, Miss G. Thompson, Mr. H. Tielman, Mr. H. Whittaker, Miss M. Hunter. From Capetown: Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. W. Furness, Mr. T. Powell, Mr. P. A. Rudder, Mr. E. Reynall, Mr. L. M'Innes, Mr. G. Franklyn, Mr. W. Bowden, Mrs. Rogerson child and infant, Mr. S. Darnley, Mr. T. Palmer, Mr. J. O'Connor, in addition to passengers from interstate ports. Dalgety and Co., Ltd., agents.

Australien, F.M.S., 6370 tons, Captain Verron, from Noumea, en route to Marseilles. Passengers—Sister Marie, Sister Antoinette, Mr. R. P. Duclos, Mr. Saulovitch, Mr. Kicovich, Mr. H. H. Solomon, Mr. White, and Mr. Mullens. R. Brasier du Thuy, agent.

Mokoia, s, 2502 tons, Captain R. E. Smith, from Dunedin, Lyttelton, Wellington, Napier, Gisborne, and Auckland. Passengers—Misses Hall, Wade, Hennessy, Harwood, Stoddart, Querner, Rogers, Atkinson, Wright, Allen, Chastoc, Mesdames Morgan, Eva, Bett, Williams, Raggall, Holt, Ellis and infant, Amphlett, Jones and 2 children, Mack and 2 boys, Watson and child, Hoskings, Robinson, Avery, Trangen and boy, M'Rae and family, Warren, Gardiner and 2 children, Cunningham, Lane and infant, Stirrup and infant, Davis, Messrs. Langford, Morgan, Morrice, Murro, Eva, Pitt, Williams, Bayley, Cohen, White, Anthos, Ricketts, Scott, Stringer, Price, Nolan, Sedgley, Gregg, Ellis, Amphlett, Richardson, Querner, Kranks (2), Ragg, Mack, Goodman, Donnison, Miles, Hoskings, Gilling, Robinson, Captain Whitton, Captain Raggall, Dr. Holt, Hampshire, M'Rae, Stewart (2), Craig, Middleton, Williams, Rothwell, Allardyce, Charlesmith, Pinac, Letica, Levey, Jurisich, Labrick, Dunn, Curtes, Butler, Carson (2), Campbell, Hunter, Farrell, Albia, Purcell, Brown, Connelly, Hogan, Stirrup, Fairie, Dwight. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Anglian, s, 2130 tons, Captain H. L. Dunsford, from Hobart. Passengers—41 in the saloon and 5 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co. Proprietary, Ltd., agents.

Westralia, s, 2884 tons, Captain Le Neveu, from Launceston. Huddart, Parker, and Co. Proprietary, Ltd., agents.

Cape Corrientes, s, 2598 tons, Captain Hawkins, from Newcastle. W. Scott Fell and Co., Limited, agents.

Moeraki, s, 4392 tons, Captain Worrall, from Newcastle. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Namoi, s, 1414 tons, Captain H. Warne, from Newcastle. Newcastle and H. R. S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Earlscourt, Norwegian bq, 1112 tons, Captain Condrup, from Capetown, via Semaphore. Olav E. Paus, agent.

Linden, s, 4187 tons, Captain Schmidt, from Brisbane, en route to Hamburg. German-Australian S.S. Co., Ltd., agents.

Guthrie, s, 2338 tons, Captain Todd, from Newcastle. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

Karitane, s, 1376 tons, Captain J. Dawson, from Newcastle, en route to Wellington, via Port Kembla. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Ouraka, s, 2637 tons, Captain W. K. Leiper, from Melbourne. G. S. Yuill and Co., Ltd., agents.

July 1.

H.M.S. Powerful, first-class twin screw protected cruiser, 14,200 tons displacement, 51 guns, Captain Lionel Halsey, from Vila (New Hebrides), via Suva (Fiji), and Norfolk Island, with his Excellency Vice-Admiral Sir Wilmot H. Fawkes and staff on board.

Myee, s, 145 tons, Captain G. A. Leafstream, from Port Macquarie. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Newcastle, s, 1251 tons, Captain Thompson, from Newcastle. Newcastle and H. R. S.S. Company, Limited, agents.

Eden, s, 693 tons, Captain G. Walker, from Eden, via ports. Illawarra and South Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Pyrmont, s, 213 tons, Captain Lundie, from Port Macquarie. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Century, s, 4220 tons, Captain Leslie, from Adelaide. Howard Smith Company, Limited, agents.

Kallatina, s, 840 tons, Captain O'Connor, from Clarence River. North Coast S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Burrawong, s, 391 tons, Captain F. Innes, from Macleay River. North Coast S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Cooloon, s, 238 tons, Captain James Colvin, from Woolgoolga and Coff's Harbour. Langley Bros., agents.

Tuncurry, s, 182 tons, Captain P. F. O'Birne, from Cape Hawke. Allen Taylor and Co., Limited, agents.

July 2.

Wodonga, s, 2341 tons, Captain J. E. Mesburn, from Cooktown, via ports. Passengers—62 in the saloon, and 38 in the second saloon. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

DEPARTURES.—June 30.

Orient, R.M.S., for London, via ports.
Moravian, s, for London, via Capetown and ports.
W. H. Macy, American sh, for San Francisco.
Zamora, s, for Newcastle.
Moeraki, s, for Wellington.
Malaita, s, for New Hebrides.
Buninyong, s, for Cairns, via ports.
Allinga, s, for Brisbane.
Whangaroa, scow, for Wellington, via Port Macquarie.

July 1.

Ceram, s, for Java ports.
Karitane, s, for Wellington, via Kembla.
Mokoia, s, for Newcastle.
Wakatipu, s, for Newcastle.
Manurewa, bq, for Kaipara, via Newcastle.
Maori King, s, for Manila and Vladivostock.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—July 2.

Karori, s, for Devonport and other Tasmanian ports; Eden, s, for Eden, via ports; Pyrmont, s, for Port Macquarie; Nerong, s, for Nambucca River; Electra, s, for Manning River; Burrawong, s, for Macleay River; Tuncurry, s, for Cape Hawke; Newcastle, s, for Newcastle.

CLEARANCES.—June 30.

Moeraki, s, 4392 tons, Captain Worrall, for New Zealand ports, via Wellington. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Cambridge, Mr. and Mrs. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Hirschel, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cust, Mr. and Mrs. Haigh Jackson, Captain and Mrs. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. M'Clusky, Mesdames W. W. Wyper and 2 children, Oliver, A. and J. Moore, Orr, Edwards, F. Propsting, Crawford, Hayman and child, Harne, Misses Olive Baker, Thompson, Edwards, Denniston, Barber, Wilson (2), Dixon, Booth, Nancarrow, James, Ensor, C. Bower, Scoular (2), O. L. Gromes, F. Darley, Bender, Messrs. R. E. Stephen, Ballard, F. Johnston, W. R. Grace, Dean Harper, Maling, Wilson, F. Ensor, R. Blair, J. Knight, J. H. Luke, Hudson, Patterson, D. Campbell, A. Ford, Outred, J. Chambers, T. Gibbs, H. W. Varna, J. Gravestock, F. Jackson, E. Clare, S. Sigall, H. and G. Gould, T. W. Welch, Kinvig, W. E. Wilson, C. Court Rice; and 46 in the steerage.

Orient, R.M.S., 5631 tons, Captain Nicholson, for London, via ports, with passengers per list published on Saturday.

Moravian, s, 4573 tons, Captain Simpson, for London, via ports, with passengers as per list published on Saturday.

Manurewa, bq, 327 tons, Captain Nilsson, for Kaipara, via Newcastle.

Malaita, s, 929 tons, Captain Wetherall, for New Hebrides, via ports, with passengers as per list published on Saturday.

Guthrie, s, 2338 tons, Captain Todd, for Singapore, via ports, with passengers as per list published on Saturday.

Wakatipu, s, 1945 tons, Captain Suffern, for Newcastle.

Maori King, s, 3807 tons, Captain Dabelle, for Manila and Vladivostock, via ports.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—June 30.

Friendship, s, for Tweed River; Marjorie, s, for Bellambi.

IMPORTS.—June 30.

Mokoia, s, from Auckland: 85 bls tow, 112 sks hides, 41 bls horns, 23 sks coffee, 25 kgs beef, 132 sks sand, 2000 sks copra, 1029 pcs timber, 41 bdls metal, 134 sks fungus, 5 bls fungus, and quantity of sundries.

Anglian, s, from Hobart: 285 sheep, 500 cs jam, 1063 cs pulp, 2050 cs and 491 half-cs fruit, 85 brass tubes, 1 bale wool, 42 hhds ale, 11 cs fish, 39 pkgs sundries, and transhipment cargo for Queensland.

Westralia, s, from Launceston: 70 crates and 1302 loose stud sheep.

July 1.

Kallatina, s, from Clarence River: 131 bgs bones, 213 bxs butter, 101 cs eggs, 48 cs fish, 180 hides, 10 bgs bottles, 5 horses, 107 pigs, 4 csks tallow, 15 bgs beans, 1974 bgs maize, 234 bgs potatoes, 15 cps poultry, 70 bgs pumpkins, 10 bdls skins, 20 pine logs, 14,000ft sawn timber, and sundries.

Pyrmont, s, from Port Macquarie: 19 bgs bones, 6 cs eggs, 2 cs fish, 1 cs honey, 2 bgs hides, 6 horses, 75 pigs, 1 csk tallow, 17 bgs maize, 1 cp poultry, 2 bgs pumpkins, 3 bdls skins, 7000ft sawn timber, 308 sleepers, and sundries.

July 2.

Marere, s, from London, via ports: 11 cs books, 1440 cs cartridges, 14 cs accoutrements, 100 drs anti-preservatives, 50 cs s. chandlery, 50 bdls st. chiels, 1400 rls w. netting, 680 kgs paint, 50 cs starch, 220 cs dip, 1850 kgs w. lead, 25 brls carbolic, 1000 cs milk, 20 cs d. machinery, 21 cs corks, 200 kgs nails, 400 sks bird seed, 51 bls wallpaper, 10 cs medicines, 550 ½-bxs 400 bxs gunpowder, 20 cs pickles, 240 cs druggists' goods, 880 bxs dates, 50 cs domestics, 33 pkgs saddlers' goods, 72 anchors, 80 cs g. iron, 120 joists, 100 cs turps, 500 cs vestas, 60 st. doors, 167 cs condiment, 50 t. bricks, 61 cs stationery, 10 cs chicory, 40 cs dry colour, 50 drs varnish, 42 cs fish, 150 drs lub. oil, 20 trusses linoleum, 30 axle arms, 200 cs blasting gelatine, 500 drs oil, 23 csks rum, 85 cart arms, 50 cs stores, 10 crs rabbit traps, 50 cs boots and shoes, 1320 cs explosives, 20 kgs putty, 181 cs floorcloth, large quantity drapery, general and unspecified merchandise, and sundries, also cargo for transhipment.

EXPORTS.—June 30.

Orient, R.M.S., for London, via ports: 135 bls wool, 417 bls furskins, 122 bls leather, 3420 brs lead, 579 ingots tin, 3372 bgs matte, 442 bgs ore, 3751 pkgs metal, 40 bgs sugar, 80 cs seeds, 11 cs shell, 1878 bxs butter, 300 crts mutton, 510 crts pork, 1292 crts rabbits, 200 crts hares, 200 sides bacon, 12 cs honey, 115 slabs copper, and sundries.

Moravian, s, for South Africa and London, via ports: 370 csks tallow, 1281 cs meats, 455 bgs tin cuttings, 95 csks pelts, 1005 pcs timber, 2140 bls wool, 286 bgs hides, 225 cs tongues, 110 cs cheese, 420 bgs copper matte, 155 bls furskins, 1950 brs lead, 1000 carcases mutton, 50 bgs seed, 2063 crts rabbit skins, 29 bls leather, 17,200 ingots copper, 48 bgs zinc ashes, 1513 ingots spelter, 60 csks oleine, 14 drms glycerine, 1683 crts rabbits, 280 bgs ore, 200 carcases pork, 120 felloes, 12 cs trotters, and sundries.

Malaita, s, for Norfolk Island and New Hebrides: 691 sks rice, 120 bgs sugar, 280 qr-sks 20 crts flour, 150 cs kerosene, 10 cs bluestone, 1004 pcs timber, 20 kgs whitelead, 3000 firebricks, 50 cs benzine, 16 ash oars, 50 cs geneva, 18 cs salmon, 42 cs meats, 42 crts biscuits, 10 sheets iron, 31 lengths pipe, and a very large quantity of sundries and general merchandise.

Maori King, s, for Vladivostock, via ports: 3000 qrs beef, 2450 carcases mutton, 16 tons pigs, 2646 tons coal, 400 sides pork, and sundries.

Customs-house.—Entered Outward: June 30, Medic, s, for London and Liverpool, via ports; Waipara, s, for London, via ports.

The M. M. Company's steamer Australien arrived from Noumea on Saturday evening, and berthed at the Quay. She left the French colony at 9 a.m. on Wednesday last, and met with fine weather during the first part of the journey. Rough seas and strong SW winds, however, were encountered on Friday, lasting till arrival at Sydney.

The Norwegian barque Earlscourt, in ballast from Capetown, via Semaphore, arrived here on Saturday for docking, and anchored in Athol Bight. She has been chartered to load coal on behalf of the Caledonian Company for the West Coast.

The steamer African Monarch will be removed from the stream to a berth at No. 3 Pyrmont wharf at 6 o'clock this morning.

MOVEMENTS OF MAIL STEAMERS.

The R.M.S. Mooltan from London bound to Sydney, arrived at Adelaide at 11.40 a.m. on Saturday, and sailed again at 5 p.m. for Melbourne, where she is due to-day.

The R.M.S. Orontes, from London, arrived at Sydney on Saturday, and berthed at the Quay. She leaves to-morrow for Brisbane.

The R.M.S. Orient was despatched from Sydney on Saturday for London, and is due at Melbourne this morning.

The R.M.S. Mongolian, from Sydney bound to London, passed Albany yesterday, en route from Adelaide to Fremantle, where she is due to-day.

The R.M.S. Sonoma, which arrived from San Francisco on Friday night, was docked on Saturday, and berthed at the Quay again yesterday.

THE ANGLIAN IN THE STORM.

The steamer Anglian, which arrived here on Saturday morning, encountered violent conditions on the run from Hobart. Captain H. C. Dunsford reports having experienced a strong NW gale and high seas to Barren Island, with showery weather; a heavy WSW gale and heavy beam sea, with fierce rain squalls, across the Straits; and fresh westerly winds and moderate sea during the remainder of the passage.

WESTRALIA IN HEAVY WEATHER.

The steamer Westralia, in charge of Captain Le Neveu, arrived from Launceston with 70 crates and 1302 loose stud sheep for the Sydney sales, on Saturday night. The vessel made a very smart run from Launceston, having left that port at 7 a.m. on Friday, and arrived off Gabo at 4.15 a.m. on Saturday. From there an average speed of 15 knots was maintained till arrival at Sydney Heads, which was entered at 8 p.m. on Saturday.

After leaving Launceston a strong WSW gale, with very high seas, was met with, lasting to Gabo. From thence strong to moderate SW winds and seas ruled.

THE MOKOIA IN THE GALES.

The Union Company's steamer Mokoia was considerably delayed on the run from Auckland to Sydney by the violent weather conditions which have been ruling over the Tasman Sea. She sailed at 6 p.m. on Monday last, and arrived here at 5.30 p.m. on Saturday, nearly five days having been occupied on the trip. The commander reports having experienced strong NW to SW gales, with heavy head seas throughout, and frequent rain squalls.

THE EMPIRE AT HONGKONG.

A cable message was received on Saturday by Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co., managing agents for the E. and A. Company, notifying that the steamer Empire arrived at Hongkong on Friday, June 29, en route to Japan, from Australian ports.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

CAIRNS (1400 miles).—Arr: June 30, Cintra, s, from Cooktown.

FLAT TOP (1125 miles).—Dep: June 30, Gabo, s, for Sydney; Mintaro, s, for Cairns.

ROCKHAMPTON (930 miles).—Dep: June 30, Kareeba, s, for Sydney.

GLADSTONE (828 miles).—Dep: June 30, Bingera, s, for Townsville.

BRISBANE (500 miles).—Arr: July 1, Tay, s, from Maryborough, Flinders, s, from Bundaberg; Ormley, s, and Lothringen, s, both from Sydney: Nikko Maru, J.M.S., from Japan. Dep: June 30, Aramac, s, for Cooktown; Wodonga, s, for Sydney.

TWEED HEADS (274 miles).—Arr: June 30, Durobby, s, at 2 p.m., from Sydney. Dep: June 30, Ariel, cutter, at 1.45 p.m.

BYRON BAY (345 miles).—Dep: June 30, Noorebar, s, at 7.30 p.m., for Sydney.

RICHMOND HEADS (331 miles).—Arr: June 30, City of Grafton, s, at 11.40 a.m., Maclesy, s, at 2.5 p.m., both from Sydney. Dep: St. George, s, at 11.5 a.m., Ramornie, s, at 2.25 p.m., both for Sydney; Augusta, s, at 11.50 a.m., for Brisbane.

CLARENCE HEADS (290 miles).—Dep: June 30, Kallatina, s, at 12.50 p.m., for Sydney. Passed: July 1, tugs Burrunda and Leveret, with dredge in tow, at 12.30 p.m., north.

WOOLGOOLGA (254 miles).—Arr: June 30, Dorrigo, s, at 4 p.m., from Coff's Harbour. Dep: July 1, Dorrigo, s, at noon, for Coff's Harbour. Passed: July 1, Colac, s, at 1 p.m., south; Buninyong, s, at 1 p.m., a North Coast steamer, at 2.40 p.m., Allinga, s, at 3 p.m., all north.

BELLINGER (230 miles).—Arr: June 30, Alma Doepel, ktch, at 1.20 p.m., Rosedale, s, at 1.45 p.m., both from Sydney. Dep: July 1, Rosedale, s, at 3.30 a.m., for Sydney.

NAMBUCCA HEADS (223 miles).—Dep: June 30, Nerong, s, at 3.15 p.m., for Sydney.

SOUTH-WEST ROCKS (209 miles).—Dep: June 30, Annandale, ktch, at 4.15 p.m., Burrawong, s, at 7.33 p.m., both for Sydney; Hastings, s, for Port Macquarie.

SMOKY CAPE (205 miles).—Passed: July 1, like Wadonga, s, at 9.30 a.m., south; Tomki, s, at 12.15 p.m., Duranbar, s, at 2 p.m., both north.

PORT MACQUARIE (174 miles).—Arr: July 1, Wauchope, s, at noon, Trilby, s, at 12.18 p.m., both from Sydney. Dep: June 30, Euroka, s, at 6 a.m., Pyrmont, s, at 2.15 p.m., both for Sydney.

TACKING POINT (169 miles).—Passed: July 1, Annandale, ktch, at 6.30 a.m., Barrabool, s, at 5.15 p.m., both south; Friendship, s, at 2.55 p.m., Kyogle, s, at 3.10 p.m., both north.

CAMDEN HAVEN HEADS (159 miles).—Arr: June 30, Australia, sch, at 2.30 p.m., Aleda, sch, at 3 p.m., both from Sydney.

CROWDY HEAD (147 miles).—Passed: July 1, Rosedale, s, at 3.30 p.m., Noorebar, s, at 3.50 p.m., both south; Whangaroa, scow, at 12.50 p.m., Ladysmith, ktch, at 2.45 p.m., a large steamer at 3.20 p.m., all north.

MANNING HEADS (144 miles).—Arr: July 1, Kincumber, s, at 2.30 p.m., Corra Lynn, s, at 2.35 p.m., both from Sydney. Electra, s, barbound. Alfred Fenning, ktch, off bar.

CAPE HAWKE (123 miles).—Arr: June 30, Tuncurry, s, at 7.40 a.m., Antleon, dredge, at 2.25 p.m., Candidate, ktch, at 2.20 p.m., all from Sydney. July 1, Shannon, sch, at 3.40 p.m., from Sydney. Dep: Tuncurry, s, at 3 a.m., for Sydney.

SEAL ROCKS (109 miles).—Passed: July 1 a large steamer at 11.50 a.m., Bellinger, s, at noon, both north; a large steamer at 4.30 p.m., Ramornie, s, at 5.10 p.m., both south.

PORT STEPHENS (83 miles).—Arr: June 30, Gleaner, ktch, at 10.55 a.m., from Newcastle. Passed: July 1, Tuncurry, s, at 9.45 a.m., Burrawong, s, at 10.25 a.m., Kallatina, s, at noon; Cooloon, s, at 1.15 p.m., Nerong, s, at 1.45 p.m., Hastings, s, at 3 p.m., all south; two ketches, at anchor in Fly Road at 3 p.m.

NEWCASTLE (62 miles).—Arr: June 30, Illaroo, s, Newcastle, s, Trilby, s, Alice, s, Duranbah, s, Kiama, s, Beagle, s, Derwent, s, Helen Nicoll, s, Cavanba, s, Zamora, s, Auriga, sch, all from Sydney; Carbine, s, and Dauntless, s, both from Port Stephens. July 1, Magdalene, s, from Port Stephens; Namoi, s, Duckenfield, s, Archer, s, Cavan, sch, all from Sydney; Waipori, s, from Fiji; Aurdo, s, from north; Fiery Cross, Norw. bq, from Algoa Bay; Tainan, s, from Melbourne. Dep: June 30, Tarshaw, s, Moeraki, s, Kiama, s, Beagle, s, Helen Nicoll, s, Derwent, s, Newcastle, s, all for Sydney; Moorabool, s, for Melbourne; Cavanba, s, for Byron Bay; Duranbah, s, Trilby, s, Gleaner, sch, all for the north; Guthrie, s, for Singapore, via ports; Elverland, bqtn, for Hobart; Karatiri, s, for Wellington, via Port Kembla and Sydney; Torrisdale, 4-mstd bq, for West Coast. July 1, Dauntless, s, Stormking, s, and Williams, s, all for Port Stephens; Era, s, for Adelaide; Illaroo, s, for Sydney; Ashridge, s, for Melbourne; Lonsdale, sh, for Iquique.

SOUTH HEAD (4 miles).—Passed: July 1, Tainan, s, at 3.26 p.m., north.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS (74 miles).—Arr: June 30, Peterborough, s, at 3.15 p.m., for Sydney.

MORUYA HEADS (141 miles).—Arr: June 30, Coomonderry, s, at 3.30 p.m., from Wagonga. July 1, Ripple, s, at 12.20 p.m., from Sydney. Passed: July 1, Moorabool, s, at 3.30 p.m., south.

BERMAGUI SOUTH (169 miles).—Dep: June 29, Eden, s, at 4 p.m., for Sydney.

GREEN CAPE (218 miles).—Passed: July 1, Easby, s, at 12.10 p.m., like Brisbane, s, at 1.30 p.m., a steamer, black funnel, at 3.30 p.m., Norkoowa, s, at 4 p.m., Mareeba, s, at 4.10 p.m., Eastern, s, at 5.19 p.m., all north.

GABO ISLAND (228 miles).—Passed: July 1, a Melbourne Company's steamer, at 3.15 a.m., a Howard Smith steamer, at 4.35 a.m., a steamer, black funnel, at 7.50 a.m., Moravian, s, at 10.54 a.m., all west; Marere, s, at 3.15 p.m., Wyandra, s, at 2.48 p.m., Sandown, s, at 4.40 p.m., all north.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY (426 miles).—Passed outward: June 30, Den of Ogil, s, at 6.55 p.m.

LAUNCESTON (509 miles).—Arr: June 30, Loongana, s, at 9.15 a.m., from Melbourne; Isleworth, s, at 9.15 a.m., from Bluff (N.Z.).

MELBOURNE (576 miles).—Arr: June 30, Coogee, s, from Launceston; Wareatea, s, from Launceston; Baltimore, U.S.A. cruiser, from Wellington; Kamura, s, and New Guinea, s, both from Newcastle; Yongala, s, from Adelaide; Glen Lui, sh, from Fredrikstadt; July 1, Waikare, s, from Hobart; Flora, s, from Stanley. Dep: June 30, Jessie Osborne, bq, for Hobart; Hawkes Bay, s, for South Africa; Orion, s, for Stanley; Brisbane, s, and Norkoowa, s, both for Newcastle; Yoncala, s, Wyandra, s, Barwon, s, and Marere, s, all for Sydney; Granitala, s, for Adelaide; Rio Loge, aux. bqtn, for Clarence River; July 1, Devon, s, for Sydney.

ADELAIDE (1084 miles).—Arr: June 30, Mooltan, R.M.S., from London; Riverina, s, from Western Australia; Corin, brigtn, from Kaipara. Dep: June 30, Mooltan, R.M.S., for the eastern States; Oldenburg, G.M.S., for Bremen; Everton Grange, s, for London, via Capetown; Bombala, s, for Western Australia; July 1, Narrung, s, for London, via Capetown.

ALBANY (2100 miles).—Arr: June 30, Iris, from Adelaide. Passed: July 1, Mongolia, west.

FREMANTLE (2466 miles).—Arr: June 30, Tarcoola, s, and Sydney, s, both from the eastern States. July 1, Cooeeanna, s, from the eastern States. Dep: June 30, Sydney, F.M.S., for Marseilles; Cape Breton, s, for the eastern States.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

AUCKLAND (1281 miles).—Dep: July 1, Vine Branch, s, for Melbourne, in continuation of voyage from Chili.

WELLINGTON (1239 miles).—Dep: June 30, Monowai, s, for Sydney.

BILLIARDS.

TATTERSALL'S TOURNAMENT.

The above tournament will begin to-night at 8 o'clock. The games are:—Denmere v Glenlyn, W. Forsyth v E. Schwartz.

THE MARKERS' TOURNAMENT.

The above will be continued at Heiron and Smith's Billiard Parlour, Castlereagh-street, to-night, when the following games will be played:—F. Weiss, jun., rec. 230, v *Enmore, rec. 230; *J.H.C., rec. 30, v H. Yard, rec. 275. *Assumed names.

LITTLE BOY'S AWFUL ECZEMA.

CURED BY CUTICURA.

"When my boy was six years old he suffered terribly with eczema. He could neither sit still nor lie in bed quiet, for the itching was dreadful. He would irritate spots by scratching with his nails, and that only made it worse. Nothing gave him any relief until I used the Cuticura Remedies, and I cannot praise them too much. A doctor treated him, and we tried almost everything, but the eczema seemed to spread. It started in a small place on the lower extremities and spread for two years until it very nearly covered the back part of his limb to the knee. Finally I got Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, and gave them according to directions. I used two boxes of Cuticura Ointment, the same of the Pills and the Soap, and my boy was cured.—Mrs. A. J. Cochran, Jr., Philadelphia, Pa., April 13, 1905."

The original of the above testimonial is on file in the office of the Potter Drug and Chemical Corporation. Reference: R. Towns and Co., Merchants, Sydney, N.S.W.—Advt.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A little more business than usual was effected on 'Change on Saturday. Prices, however, varied but slightly, Melbourne Trams alone advancing slightly.

The following sales were reported:—Forenoon: Melbourne Tramway, 29s; Daily Telegraph Newspaper Company, £70. Later: Tooth and Co., 30s 3d; Colonial Sugar, £42; North Coast Steam (new, 24s 3d. Later: North Coast Steam (old), 24s 4½d; Sydney Ferries, 62s 6d.

The closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital Paid up.	Amount of Shares.	Shares Paid Up.	Last Div. per annum.	Last Sale.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Yield to Investor.
STOCK.					£	£	£	p.c.
N.S.W. F.S. due 1912	4,006,702	...	...	3	98	98	99½	3½
Do., due 1911	1,250,175	...	...	3½	100	100	...	3½
Do., due 1912	2,549,350	...	...	4	103½	103	103½	3½
Do., due 1924-5	...	...	...	3	92	91½	98	...
Do., due 1915	...	...	...	4	100	100	...	...
Do., Act 1873	536,199	...	...	4	...	103	...	...
Do., 4 p.c., due 8/8/01	550,000	...	...	4	101	101	...	...
Do., Deb. 1908	...	...	...	4	...	100½	...	...
Do., T. Bills, 1906	1,109,700	...	...	3½	99½	...	100	...
Ditto	203,000	...	...	4	100½	100	101	3½
N.Z. Do., 1909	300,000	...	...	4	103½	101	...	...
Queens. deb., 1918	...	...	...	4	99½	101	...	3½
Do., Tr. Bills	550,000	...	...	4	102	102	...	3½
W.A. Inscr.	...	...	...	4	...	102	102½	3½
Austrln. Gas Deb., 1922	300,000	...	...	4	102½	102	...	...
City Sydney Deb.	220,000	...	...	4	102	102	...	4
Do., 1928	100,000	...	...	4	102	...	...	3½
Co. Sugar D. 1914	...	...	...	5	103½	103	...	4½
BANKS.								
Aust. J.S.	154,528	3½	1	...	...	...	...	...
Aust'lasia	1,600,000	40	40	12	95	99	...	5½
City	240,000	10	8	2½	70/	70/	...	5½
New issue	160,000	10	8	2½	65/	64/	66/	...
Commercial of Aust.	94,862	10	10/	...	10/	9/6	10/	...
Ditto pref.	2,117,290	10	10	3	6½	6	...	4½
Com. Syd.	1,000,000	25	12½	10	29½	29½	30	4½
N. of Aust.	1,192,440	8	5	4	80/	80/	81/6	...
Ditto, pref.	305,780	10	10	5	11/3/	11	...	...
N.S.W.	2,000,000	20	20	10	47	46½	47½	4½
N. Zealand	427,319	6½	3½	5	8/12/6	8½	...	...
N. Queensl'd	100,000	7	2	2½	18/	19/	...	...
Q'sland Nat.	415,033	3	3	...	16/	15/	26/	7½
Royal of Q.	457,496	3	6½	3½	95/net	...	...	...
Union	1,500,000	75	25	10	92½	92½	...	4½
DEPOSITS.								
A.J.S. Bk., Class A**	...	...	...	3	19/7½	19/8	...	4½
Class B**	...	...	...	3	13/6	13/6	13/9	4½
Class B, 1917**	...	...	...	...	12/3	11/1	12/7½	...
Do., Insb.,**	788,555	...	...	3½	11/	11/8	12/	6½
Com. of Aus. Assets**	3,334,903	...	...	3	14/9	15/	...	4
E.S.A. Insc. pref.**	880,419	...	...	3	13/9	13/9	14/	4½
Do., def.**	808,198	...	...	4½	17/6	17/6	...	5½
Do., Deb.**	283,847	...	...	4	18/6	18/6	...	...
Q. Nat.	5,116,621	...	...	3½	15/3nt	15/6	16/3	4½
STEAM.								
Bal. Ferry	16,490	1	1	7½	36/	37/	38/	4½
Illawarra	49,797	1	15/	...	23/	22/9	...	...
How'd Smith 20s paid	250,000	20	20/	10/	29/3	29/	31/6	...
Do., 3s pd	...	...	...	...	7/	11/	15/	...
Ditto pref.	...	20/	5/	5	21/	20/	21/	...
Ditto, pref., 5s paid	...	...	...	...	5/6	5/	6/	...
Newcastle	100,000	1	17/6	8	25/6	22/6	24/	1½
North Coast	151,250	1	17/6	5	24/4½	24/1½	24/6	4½
New Issue	...	...	...	...	24/3	24/	25/	...
Syd. Ferries	140,000	1	1	10	62/6	62/	65/	4½
Port Jackson	25,000	50	25	10	56/	57/	...	...
Ditto deb.	6,745	1	1	5	20/	20/	...	...
INSURNCE.								
A.M. Fire	62,500	1	12/6	14½	43/	42/6	...	...
Mer. Mutual	45,000	1	6/	12½	16/9	16/9	17/6	4½
New Zealand	250,000	10	2	15	70/	...	71/	4½
N. Q'land	50,000	1	10	8	15/	15/6	...	...
United	68,225	10/	2½	12½	6	5½	6½	5
COAL.								
Bellambi	175,000	1	1	15	40/	39/6	40/6	4
East Greta	121,853	1	1	5	25/	24/9	25/3	4
Ditto New	...	...	...	...	23/6	...	23/6	...
Hed'n Greta	42,550	1	1	...	...	7/6	...	...
Hetton	128,665	5	5	6	81/	...	85/	...
Newcastle	100,000	11	10	8	7/	7	8	...
Stockton	95,631	1	1	4	8/10	8/6	9	...
New	...	...	16/	4	1/net	16	...	...
Vale Clwydd	80,000	1	1	10	21/	21/	21/	7½
Walsend	40,000	10	4	10/	28	27	28	...
Waratah	...	...	1/	...	...	6/6	...	...
Wickham & Bullock Is.	123,077	1	1	...	1/11	1/6	2/	...
New Preferential	...	1	15/	...	6/	3/6	6/6	...
GAS.								
Albury	7,500	1	12/6	10	20/3	21/	...	...
Australian	750,000	6	6	15	18½	18½	19	4½
Ditto New	...	6	5	15	11½	11½	11½	4½
Char. Towers	20,000	10	10/	10	14/9	14/3	15/	6
Goulburn	10,000	1	1	15	36/	34/	...	...
Grafton	8,000	1	1	5	27/6	30/	...	...
Maitland Gas	15,500	5	5	7	...	...	...	...
Manly	10,000	1	1	8	31/	31/	...	...
Ditto New	5,000	1	10/	8	15/8	20/	...	...
Mudgee	8,000	1	1	7	25/	20/	...	...
Newcastle	45,000	2	2	15	6	6½	...	...
Nth. Shore	125,000	1	1	7	42/	41/6	42/6	4½
Ditto New	25,000	1	1	7	21/	40/	45/	...
BR'W'RIES								
Australian	48,000	10	10/	...	2/	...	1/9	...
C. and Wood Bros.	280,000	1	1	4	10/	10/	10/8	5
Perkins'	100,000	15/	15/	25½	35/6	...	35/	10
Toohey's	550,000	1	1	4	11/	11/8	12/	7
Tooth's	900,000	1	1	8	30/3	30/	30/6	5
MISCELN'S								
Aerons'	17,500	15	15/	6	2/	...	2/	...
Aust. News.	40,000	1	1	...	7/6	5/	6/	...
B.H.W. Sup.	285,000	1	1	...	20/3	20/	...	...
Burns, Philp	250,000	1	1	...	32/	31/9	32/3	4
New Issue	35,000	1	10/	8	15/6	15 6	...	...
Brooks & Co.	...	...	...	...	...	19/	22/	...
Do., pref.	...	...	...	...	...	20/	22/	...
Col. Sugar	2,095,290	20	20	10	42	41½	42	4½
Dalgety and Co.	1,000,000	20	5	6	8½	8½	...	...
Dunlop Pn. Tyre, pref.	80,000	1	1	7	19/6	20/	...	...
Emu. B'Rail.	...	...	...	...	3/	2/11	3/3	...
Emu & Pros. Gravel	27,200	1	15/	7	6/	6/	6/9	14
Melb. Trams	480,000	1	1	12½	29/	28/6	29/3	4
M. de Piete	74,400	1	10/	10	41/	40/6	42/	4
Mort's Dock	200,000	1	1	12	12/5 nt	12 6	...	...
Ditto, pref	45,001	1	1	6	21/	20/	21/6	...
F. Food, Ice	91,780	12/	10/	7	11/	10/10½	11/	...
Shale & Oil	80,000	17/	...	...	1/	11d	1/4	...
New York Tob.	15,000	1	1	...	...	3/	...	...
Perm. Trust.	25,000	5	2/6	10	5/3	5/3	...	4½
Perp. Trust.	25,000	10	5/	10	12/6	12/3	12/6	4½
Richardson & Wrench	60,000	1	1	5	13/6	13/3	14/	5½
Silv. Tram.	197,806	1	1	38	91/	90/6	91/9	5½
Syd. Exchg.	30,000	20	10	6	12½	12	...	5
Syd. Hyd.	75,000	1	1	10	37/6	37/	38/3	5
Ditto	37,500	1	10/	10	18/6	18/6	19/	5½
Ditto Hyd. & O.E.	15,000	1	18/	15	14/6	18/	...	5
Vol. Land Or.	...	...	...	...	120	...	...	...
Hall's Merc. Agency	12,000	1	20/	...	11/	...	...	...
W. H. Soul, Patt. & Co	120,000	1	1	10	35/	34/	36/	5½

* Where dividends are interim the yield is based on a year's distribution, otherwise on the last half-yearly one. † Per share. †† Ex dividend. ** Ex interest. § Call paid. ‡‡ Ex returned capital, 1s.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

BRISBANE, Saturday.

Queensland Trustee was quoted on the Stock Exchange to-day at 6s 3d seller.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

To-day's sales were:—Victorian 4 per cent. 1923, £105; ditto 3½ Treasury bonds, £99 17s 6d; Board of Works New Loan, £102 7s 6d; Emu Bay Railway, 8s 1d; Melbourne Trams, 29s 3d.

FINANCIAL.

STATE REVENUE RETURNS.

The revenue of the State during the financial year, 1905-6, exceeds that of any of its predecessors. Compared with that of the previous year there is shown an increase of £930,614. For the last six years, practically since federation was accomplished, the following comparison may be made:—

REVENUE FOR THE STATE.

Financial Year.	£
1900-01	11,005,826
1901-02	11,477,246
1902-03	11,582,280
1903-04	11,453,744
1904-05	11,336,918
1905-06	12,267,532

The net revenue received from governmental sources and from those business undertakings run by the State may be compared with that received during the previous year as follows:—

Financial Year.	Governmental £	Business Undertakings £
1904-05	6,047,970	5,288,948
1905-06	6,410,707	5,856,825
Increase	362,737	567,877

The heaviest increase was in railway and tramway receipts, which were £557,956 larger. The Commonwealth Treasurer contributed £213,700 more, stamps £111,728 more, income tax £43,133 more, land tax £5979 more, and land revenue £24,932 less, this being the most noteworthy decrease.

N.S.W. CUSTOMS COLLECTIONS.

The Customs collections for the State of New South Wales during June are stated to have been £271,015, against £252,474 for the corresponding period last year. The following comparison may be made of the collections for the first six months in the undermentioned years:—

	£
January-June, 1904	1,648,071
January-June, 1905	1,564,776
January-June, 1906	1,706,854

The increase so far this year compared with last has thus been £142,077.

STOCK EXCHANGE VALUES.

As usual, at the termination of the half-year, we have compiled a statement of the market value of some of the principal investment stocks quoted on the Sydney Stock Exchange. This, together with the par value and the market value a year ago, affords the following comparison:—

	Par Value. £	Market Value. A Year Ago. £	To-day. £
Banks (6)	4,712,172	14,692,001	15,838,188
Steam (5)	421,415	758,412	836,041
Insurance (5)	168,225	458,049	499,990
Coal (8)	723,699	866,682	991,957
Gas (9)	677,266	2,698,436	2,862,075
Breweries (4)	1,748,000	1,856,475	1,802,820
Miscellaneous (15)	4,462,096	7,512,158	8,125,527
	17,217,873	28,752,233	30,955,508

Shares only have been taken of companies that are representative of the industrial life of this State. Many quoted on 'Change had to be omitted, as they either did a considerable portion of their business outside New South Wales or for some other reason they were inadmissible. The comparison shows that the aggregate market value has increased during the last 12 months by some £2,202,000, or 7.4 per cent., a very satisfactory increase.

INADEQUACY OF THE BOOKKEEPING PERIOD.

How inequitably a per capita distribution among the States of the surplus Federal revenue would operate under existing conditions may be seen from the appended table, which shows the actual contributions of surplus revenue for the last completed financial year, together with the gain or loss that would have been entailed upon each State had the distribution been on this basis:—

State.	Contribution.	Gain or loss on per capita distribution.
New South Wales	£2,529,069	£35,500 gain
Victoria	2,017,878	105,407
Queensland	782,533	103,844
South Australia	555,692	98,273
Western Australia	895,349	460,192 loss
Tasmania	259,099	57,108 gain
	£6,999,119	

Or if the matter is considered on a per capita basis we find that New South Wales would have gained 8d per head of population, Victoria 1s 9d, Queensland 5s 3d, South Australia 5s 3d, and Tasmania 6s 4d; while Western Australia would have lost no less than £1 18s per head. It must thus be realised that some special provision should be made to meet the case of Western Australia in any proposal to render a continuance of the bookkeeping period necessary.

QUARTERLY BANK ABSTRACT.

The chief particulars of the abstract for the undermentioned bank for the quarter ended June 30 compare with those for the preceding quarter, in parentheses, as follow:—

English, Scottish, and Australian Bank, Limited.—Note circulation, £18,106 (£18,476); deposits not bearing interest, £471,494 (£460,909); deposits bearing interest, £239,497 (£223,630); gold and silver coin, £227,476 (£218,596); advances, £1,506,150 (£1,491,346).

POST AND TELEGRAPH ADMINISTRATION.

Mr. J. M. Paxton, chairman of the Shipping and Grain Trade Sectional Committee of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce, complains of the removal of the telegraphic instruments from the branch telegraph office at the Royal Exchange and from other branch offices in the city. This, he says, causes delays, and places the mercantile community at a disadvantage.

GOLD AND SILVER EXPORTS.

The Customs-house statistical department gives the value of the exports of gold for June as £218,881 coined, and £127,541 uncoined, while those of silver were valued at £114,032. For the first half of the current and three preceding years the exports compare as follows:—

	GOLD. Coined. £	Uncoined. £	Silver. £
To date, 1903	1,086,588	675,087	208,021
To date, 1904	1,307,701	659,954	417,175
To date, 1905	414,220	749,753	416,907
To date, 1906	1,989,243	840,288	606,081

A large increase is observable under each head this year compared with those earlier years given.

N.S.W. WOOL STATISTICS.

The exports of wool from the State during the season 1905-06, just closed, are compared by the Customs Department with those of the previous season as follows:—

	Season. 1904-05.	Season. 1905-06.
By Sea.		
From Sydney and Newcastle to United Kingdom and foreign ports	597,174	741,194
Ditto, to Victoria	10,913	16,198
Ditto, to other State	136	388
Total by sea	608,223	757,780
Borderwise.		
To Victoria	102,611	114,165
To South Australia	17,370	25,725
To Queensland	1	...
Total borderwise	119,982	139,890
Total exported from the State	728,205	897,670
Less imported from Queensland, etc.	67,879	81,208
Net production of New South Wales	660,326	816,462

The increase in the net production has therefore been 156,136 bales.

THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.

WELLINGTON, Saturday.

At the annual meeting of shareholders in the Bank of New Zealand the chairman, Mr. Malet, said that the ordinary current accounts and fixed deposits were the greatest by over £600,000. Compared with the previous year the investments in the colonies had increased by over £51,000, and they now amounted to £954,000. The net profits amounted to £274,229, compared with £253,930 last year. The Assets Board properties showed an estimated surplus of assets over outstanding debentures of £36,822. The hope was expressed by Mr. Watson, director, that when the Assets Board's bonds had been cancelled the dividend would be raised to 10 per cent.

COMMERCIAL.

Trade was quiet on Saturday, and no change was noted in current quotations.

SIX MONTHS' EXPORTS COMPARED.

The Customs returns of the principal articles of export during the six months of the present year compare those for the corresponding period in 1905 as follow:—

	Jan.-June, 1905.	Jan.-June, 1906.
Wool, bales	196,559	247,410
Skins, packages	7,767	16,594
Hides, No.	51,912	50,121
Tallow, casks	18,779	22,564
Tin, ingots	39,739	43,054
Copper, ingots	803,008	730,773
Shale, tons	9,122	6,673
Leather, packages	3,914	4,367
Preserved meat, cases	27,700	21,744
Frozen mutton, carcases	129,037	375,563
Frozen beef, pieces	8,808	19,032
Hoofs and bones, cwts.	3,175	4,680
Horns, number	277,162	487,040
Hares and rabbits, pairs	*	2,099,457
Timber, super ft	12,589,937	13,359,391
Butter, boxes	160,555	206,956

* Figures not available.

The shipments of frozen meat this year are greatly in excess of those for the first half of 1905. Satisfactory increases will also be noted in our exports of wool, butter, skins, and tallow. Copper exports show a decrease. During June 1,120,570 pairs of hares and rabbits were shipped from Sydney, a total which exceeds the entire exports for the previous five months, namely, 978,887 pairs.

TRADE IN NEW YORK.

Writing from New York on May 24, the Strong and Trowbridge Co. state:—"There appears to be an evenness in trade conditions which prohibits our greatly emphasising any particular leading line of appealing interest. A general glance over the hardware field will show little relaxation in prices, while quotations on steel products remain practically the same as last enumerated. Regarding cotton goods, the market is sustained by high prices on raw cotton, 'futures' being quoted still above 11 cents. Buying continues by the home trade from hand to mouth at high prices. The only section of the market which can be described as weak in heavy brown sheetings. On the contrary, cotton duck is firmer than any other class of goods in the market, and bids fair to sustain this position for at least two months."

GROWTH OF FROZEN MEAT EXPORTS.

The exports of frozen mutton from Sydney for the 12 months ended June 30 were more than double the shipments for the previous season; whilst the shipments of frozen beef were, according to the Customs returns, four times greater than those of 1904-5. The following comparison is given:—

	Frozen Mutton. Carcases. 1904-5.	1905-6.	Frozen Beef. Pieces. 1904-5.	1905-6.
July	15,199	17,725	1,072	480
August	24,702	75,552	191	1,180
September	68,701	161,151	188	1,845
October	85,084	197,348	204	802
November	88,756	161,654	—	3,779
December	81,007	210,845	2,227	4,341
January	23,948	148,342	681	7,362
February	20,282	92,818	892	2,381
March	29,590	68,490	795	3,053
April	12,803	12,222	478	920
May	16,348	15,463	336	2,181
June	17,376	20,736	636	2,225
Totals 12 months	484,080	1,117,137	7,700	31,279

The exports of hares and rabbits from Sydney during the last six months were:—January, 136,258 pairs; February, 203,238 pairs; March, 181,551 pairs; April, 95,008 pairs; May, 365,812 pairs; and June, 1,120,570 pairs. Total, 2,099,457 pairs.

CLOSE OF THE BUTTER SEASON.

The Australian butter season for 1905-6 has practically closed, and the following comparison shows the marked development that has taken place in shipments to the United Kingdom during the last three years:—

	Boxes (56lb).
1905-6	1,051,440
1904-5	950,310
1903-4	772,410

In 1902-3, the drought season, the shipments were only 44,160 boxes.

This season's increase, compared with 1904-5 is 95,130 boxes, or 2378½ tons. Since October last the reduced freights to Great Britain have been in operation, and have meant a saving of £3 10s per ton to the dairy farmer, or nearly £80,000.

BREADSTUFFS.

Wheat was very quiet on Saturday, the price for f.a.q. being unaltered at 3s 6d per bushel, Darling Harbour. In flour, best city brands were dull at £7 15s to £8, and country makes at £7 12s 6d to £7 15s per ton. At Darling Harbour on Saturday 885 tons wheat and 37 tons flour were manifested to arrive.

South Australia's Record Harvest.—The Government Statist of South Australia last week issued his statistics relating to the 1905 wheat crop in that State. The figures show that the "Register" was not far out—about 5 per cent.—in its estimate published early in February of 21,045,000 bushels. The official figures relating to the crops for the last five years compare:—

Season.	Reaped. Acres.	Production. Bushels.	Average. Bushels.
1901-2	1,415,658	8,012,762	5.66
1902-3	1,083,455	6,354,912	5.98
1903-4	1,593,830	13,209,465	8.29
1904-5	1,728,292	12,023,172	6.96
1905-6	1,719,276	20,143,798	11.78

European Shipments.—Shipments of wheat and flour to Europe from the chief exporting countries from August 1, 1905, to May 19, 1906, according to "Dornbusch," compare with those for the corresponding period last season as follows:—

From—	1904-5. Quarters.	1905-6. Quarters.
Russia	17,882,000	15,970,000
Danube	2,896,000	8,855,000
U.S. and Canada	8,535,000	11,735,000
India	8,973,000	1,787,000
Argentine	9,827,000	9,435,000
Australasia	3,036,000	2,476,000
Other countries	1,138,000	823,000
Total	44,127,000	50,481,000

Indian Wheat Crop.—The final general memorandum of the Indian Government on the wheat crop of the season 1905-6 states that the crop, as a whole, is a good one, for, while the total area falls short of that of 1904-5 by 2,240,000 acres, or nearly 8 per cent., the outturn is believed to be larger by 978,000 tons, or 13 per cent. The total estimated crop of Indian wheat this year—8,559,540 tons—is the largest but one on record, the exception being 1903-4, when the production reached 9,641,000 tons. In 1904-5 the crop was 7,582,040 tons. For the season ended March 31 last the exports from India were 937,523 tons, compared with 2,150,025 tons in 1904-5.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Stocks in Bond.—The stocks of merchandise, other than wine, spirits, and narcotics, and sugar, in bond on June 29, also on the corresponding date last year and movements in the week, are:—

	Imported.	Duty paid.	Exported.	In Bond a year ago.	In Bond Yesterday.
Hops, lbs	4,862	104	1,032	18,926	67,950
Candles, boxes	1,250	522	13	5,701	3,707
Milk, cases	—	11	3	312	361
Rice, sacks	579	140	616	12,049	35,125
Ditto, bags	5,975	780	3,300	21,889	27,631
Vinegar, casks	—	15	—	291	275
Ditto, cases	—	1	1	3,470	956
Galv. iron, cases	50	40	—	402	214
Glucose, casks	110	24	—	937	384
Ditto, cases	—	—	—	650	580
Salt, sacks	—	1,100	11	27,713	38,444
Ditto, bags	—	—	2	25,470	24,868
Rock salt, tons	—	—	—	—	4
Cement, casks	274	—	55	11,136	8,407
Currants, lbs	19,600	20,429	136	122,599	62,099
Raisins, lbs	—	276	—	137,068	108,731
Dates, lbs	—	9,802	—	134,957	149,577
Other fruits, lbs	—	2,504	106	18,106	22,833
Coffee, lbs	10,378	8,984	3,460	182,929	206,740

Jute.—The Melbourne market for cornsacks declined on Friday. Fair sales for season's shipments were reported at 6s 10d to 6s 11d, delivered. Saturday's "Argus" had the following regarding Australia's probable requirements for the current year:—"It is estimated that out of last year's shipments between 73,000 and 75,000 bales were absorbed, the wheat crop throughout Australia, according to official returns since published, amounting to a total of about 69½ million bushels. After allowing for about 12,000 bales carried over, shipments of a little over 60,000 bales during 1906 would probably be warranted, if the next wheat crop is to be as large as the last one. The wheat crop, however, cannot yet be estimated; while it is believed that the quantity of cornsacks already ordered from Calcutta for the season amounts to a considerable proportion of probable requirements. Another consideration is that a winter such as the present is frequently followed by a rather late harvest. For the present, therefore, there is an indisposition to place fresh orders for early months."

The World's Hop Crop.—The United States Department of Agriculture has just issued a statement of the world's hop crop in 1905, which compares with that of 1904 as follows:—

	1904. Lbs.	1905. Lbs.
*United States	49,200,000	51,200,000
Austria-Hungary	20,298,000	40,005,000
Belgium	9,830,000	*11,000,000
France	*5,500,000	*6,500,000
Germany	49,136,000	64,500,000
Netherlands	†125,000	†125,000
*Russia	8,700,000	14,500,000
U. Kingdom—England	21,621,000	77,946,000
Total	125,210,000	214,576,000
Australasia—		
Victoria	274,000	†250,000
Tasmania	865,000	912,000
*New Zealand	1,150,000	1,120,000
Total	2,289,000	2,282,000
‡Total	176,699,000	268,058,000

* Unofficial estimates. † Average production. ‡ Excluding Canada, for which the census of 1901 shows a production during the preceding year of 1,001,203lb. The crop in 1903 was 174,402,000lb.

Butter Shipments.—The Aberdeen steamer Moravian took from Sydney on Saturday 1623 boxes butter, of which 1051 boxes were shipped by the Union Steamship Company to South Africa, and 572 boxes by Dalgety and Co., Limited, to London. The R.M.S. Orient, which sailed for London on Saturday, took 1878 boxes of butter. The principal shippers were:—Ballina Co-operative River Produce Co., 60 boxes; Farmers and Settlers' Co-operative Society, 457 boxes; John Mackey, 447 boxes; North Coast Co-operative Society, 329 boxes; and the Wagga Butter Factory, 76 boxes.

At Darling Harbour on Saturday 25 bales wool were manifested to arrive by rail.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney on Saturday amounted to £6607.

LONDON MARKET CABLES.

LONDON, June 30.

FROZEN MEAT TRADE.

The following were yesterday's quotations of the Frozen Meat Trade Association at the Smithfield Markets, and were for parcels fairly representative of the bulk of the shipment on the market. Fluctuations compared with the previous week's prices as indicated:—

Australian Mutton—	
Heavy (over 50lb)	3⅝d
Light (under 50lb)	3⅝d
New Zealand Mutton—	
Canterbury, light (28-56lb)	3⅞d
Do., medium (50-64lb)	3⅝d
Do., heavy (64-72lb)	3⅝d
Dunedin and Southland (56lb)	None offering
North Island (56-65lb)	3⅝d (1-16d lower)
Do., best brands (56-65lb)	3 5-16d (7-16d lower)
River Plate Mutton—	
Heavy (over 50lb)	3⅝d
Light (under 50lb)	3⅝d
Australian Lambs—	
Best brands (28-42lb)	4⅛d
Fair quality (28-42lb)	3⅞d
Inferior quality (28-42lb)	None offering
New Zealand Lambs—	
Canterbury, light (48-56lb)	5d (3-16d higher)
Do., medium (36-42lb)	4 15-16d (⅛d higher)
Do., heavy (42-50lb)	4 13-16d (⅛d higher)
Dunedin and Southland (28-42lb)	4⅛d (⅛d higher)
North Island (28-42lb)	4⅛d (3-16d higher)
River Plate Lambs (28-42lb)	None offering
Australian Beef—	
Ox fores (160-200lb)	None offering
Ox hinds (160-220lb)	None offering
New Zealand Beef—	
Ox fores (160-220lb)	2⅞d
Ox hinds (160-220lb)	3⅝d
River Plate Beef—	
Ox fores (160-220lb)	2 5-16d (1-16d lower)
Ox hinds (160-220lb)	3⅛d

COPRA AND HEMP.

Copra is in light supply and has good demand. A South Sea cargo, loading, has been placed at £19 15s per ton.

Hemp is firm, and a large business has been done in New Zealand at 10s per ton advance. May to September shipments are quoted at £32 15s to £33 5s per ton.

WHEAT CARGOES SOLD.

The cargo of 27,406 bags wheat in the Polymnia (freight 21s 6d per ton), which left Sydney on March 13, has been sold at 30s 10½d per 480lb c.i.f.

The cargo in the Birtha (freight 24s per ton), which left Geelong on February 20, has been placed at 30s 10½d per 480lb c.i.f.

LINSEED OIL.

Blundell, Spence, and Co.'s raw linseed oil is ½d per gallon lower, at 1s 8½d f.o.b., and double-boiled at 1s 10½d.

TIN.

Tin, on spot, b £176 15s, s £177 5s; three months, b £175 10s, s £176, being a fall of £1 per ton.

PRODUCE INWARDS.

DEVONPORT, Sunday.

The steamer Easby left Devonport early on Saturday morning, for Sydney, with 11,278 bags potatoes, 2312 bags oats, 180 bags turnips, and 64 bags peas. 2935 bags potatoes are for transhipment to Northern ports. Quotations are £7 to £7 5s.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

The usual week-end quietness prevailed throughout Sussex-street, and prices generally were unchanged.

In Victoria the maize market was slightly firmer on Friday, owing to supplies on spot being light. The maize crop in the southern State this season compares with previous years as follows:—

	Area. Acres.	Yield. Bushels.
1906	11,765	641,216
1905	11,394	623,736
1904	11,810	804,239
1903	10,908	730,524
1902	10,020	615,472
1901	9,389	604,130
1900	11,067	624,944

The Victorian potato market was steady at the end of last week, best redskins being quoted up to £6 15s; ordinary prime samples were worth £5 10s. This season's Victorian crop compares with previous seasons as follows:—

	Area. Acres.	Crop. Tons.
1905-6	44,070	115,352
1904-5	46,912	92,872
1903-4	48,990	167,736
1902-3	49,706	168,759
1901-2	40,058	125,474
1900-1	38,477	123,126
1899-1900	55,469	173,281

Current quotations were:—

FEED-GRAIN AND OFFAL MARKET.

Barley.—Nominal.

Maize.—Prime dry river 2s 10d, good 2s 9d, white 2s 8d to 2s 9d bus.

Peas.—Blue, 5s 6d; grey, 5s 3d bus.

Chickwheat.—Rejected milling, 3s 5d; prime chick-feed, 3s 4½d bus.

Oats.—Melbourne: Algerian, heavy feed 3s 2d, milling 3s 3d to 3s 4d. New Zealand: Gartons, 2s 6d. Tasmanian: Whites, 3s 5d bus.

Bran.—11d; pollard, 11d bus.

FORAGE MARKET.

Chaff.—Choice £4 to £4 5s, prime £3 10s to £3 15s, medium £3 1s 8d to £3 6s 8d, inferior £2 15s. Victorian: Wheaten £3 12s 6d to £3 15s; oaten, £3 5s to £3 10s. Adelaide: £3 15s to £3 17s 6d, odd choice lots £4 ton.

Oaten Hay.—Melbourne: Prime, £4 to £4 15s; other sorts, £3 15s. At Redfern: Prime, £3 10s 6d ton.

Lucerne.—Hunter River: Prime dry green, £4 15s to £5; old summer, £3 15s to £4; new soft green, £3 10s to £3 ton.

Straw.—Derrick-pressed—Tasmanian: Nominal.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian: Stanleys, £8 10s; darkskins, £8; Clarence River, £7 to £7 10s. At Redfern: £7 16s 8d to £7 18s 4d ton.

Onions.—Victorian: Brown Spanish, prime £8, good £6 10s, inferior from £5 ton.

Turnips.—£3 10s to £4 ton.

DAIRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

Excepting a few shipping orders there was very little business transacted in the dairy produce markets, and prices generally were without change.

Current quotations were:—

Cheese.—Local: Prime loaf, 5½d to 6d, odd choice lots 6½d, good 5½d, prime large 5d to 5½d, odd choice lots 6½d, good 5d to 5½d, inferior from 4½d; Kameruka Cheddar, 6½d; Bodalla, 6½d lb.

Butter.—Choice 11d, seconds 9½d to 10d, inferior 8½d to 9d lb.

Lard.—Packets and small bladders, 6d; bulk, 5½d lb.

Beeswax.—Dark, 1s 1½d, prime 1s 2d lb.

Honey.—60lb tins choice extracted 3d to 3½d, extra choice 4d, good 2½d, inferior 2d lb.

Bacon.—Prime factory, flitches 5d to 5½d, middles 7½d, sides 5d to 5½d; special brands, sides 7d, flitches 7d, middles 8½d. Hams: In cloth, 8d to 8½d, bagged 9½d to 9½d; special brands to 11d lb.

Eggs.—Northern, 11d to 1s; Southern and railway, 1s to 1s 1d; new-laids, 1s 2d to 1s 3d doz.

POULTRY AND GAME.

River.—Hens, old 2s 6d to 2s 9d, choice 3s; roosters, good 3s to 3s 6d, choice 4s 6d; English ducks, 2s 3d to 2s 6d, choice 3s; Muscovy, 3s 6d to 5s, choice 3s 6d, drakes 3s 6d to 4s; guineafowls, 4s to 4s 6d; turkeys, hens, 4s to 5s, choice 5s 6d to 6s 6d, gobblers 7s to 8s, extra prime 12s to 14s; geese, young 4s 6d to 5s 6d; black ducks, 2s 6d, brown 2s; teal, 1s 6d; common pigeons, 1s to 1s 6d per pair.

Suburban.—Fowls, young roosters, 3s 6d to 5s, 3d, choice 4s 2d, very small kinds from 2s 3d; old hens, 2s 3d to 3s 6d, choice 4s 2d; ducks, English 2s 6d to 3s 6d, choice suburban 4s 6d; ducks, Muscovy 2s 1d to 3s 6d, choice suburban 4s; drakes, Muscovy 3s 1d to 4s 1d, choice suburban 7s 3d; turkeys, hens, 5s 6d to 8s, choice 9s 9d; turkeys, gobblers, 9s to 16s 6d, choice 20s; geese, 4s 6d to 6s 6d; guinea fowls, 3s 5d to 4s; pigeons, 1s 2d to 1s 9d per pair.

Hares.—1s to 1s 3d pair.

Rabbits.—Good 6s 6d to 8s, kittens 3s 6d to 4s doz.

REDFERN SALE.

Business was unusually dull at Redfern, buyers, as is usual on Saturday morning, being poorly represented. The market was featureless; in fact, practically the whole of the offerings were reserved for private treaty. The end of the month was, no doubt, responsible for this stagnancy in the market, and the few values that were obtained privately or by auction must not be considered "correct market rates."

Consignments were disposed of as follow:—

Chaff.—From Moore and Kelly, Ganmain, (4065) 4s 8d, (1569) 4s 8d, (2416) 4s, (9698) 4s; Lyons, Wagga, (778) 3s 4d; Traves, Manilla, (9851) 3s 6d; Brunskill, Wagga, (2466) 3s 11d; Donelly, Uranquinty, (8604) 3s 11d; Kurragong Estate, Bomen, (8121) 3s 6d; Fletcher, (12655) 3s 7d, (2143) 3s 7d; Buchanan, Demondrille, (2954) 3s 9d cwt.

Lucerne.—From Harnett, Bunyan, (2054) brown 3s 2d; Ah Kum, Tamworth, (6391) 3s 4d cwt.

Wheat.—From Crago, Newtown, (8773) 3s 4d; ex Darling Harbour, (9088) 3s 4d, (7175) 3s 3½d bus.

Potatoes.—From Mudge, Tarana, (17) 7s 5d cwt.

TO-DAY'S OFFERINGS.

At to-day's sales of fat stock to be held at Homebush the offerings will be:—

Sheep: 2109.

Cattle: 902.

STOCK TRUCKINGS.

For the sale of July 2, 92 sheep vans, 109 cattle waggons; July 5, 416 sheep vans, 35 cattle waggons.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

THE SHARE MARKET.

REVIEW OF THE WEEK.

It is not very difficult to give reasons why the share market last week displayed an "in-and-out" business. It was not buoyant, nevertheless it was not weak or dull, and witnessed a good volume of business transacted at steady rates. In some instances there was a forward movement in prices. The fluctuations in the prices of metals, especially lead and tin, were factors in the matter, whilst the water difficulties in connection with some of the tin mines of New South Wales, Queensland, and Tasmania, helped to restrict the operations of buyers. Then there was a depression on the London Stock Exchange, due to a weakness in Kaffir shares. This had its effect in restricting London Commissions by cable, and when buying orders fall off the market must quieten, though the price of stocks need not fall.

As a matter of fact, they were very well maintained in Broken Hill silver stocks, owing to the mines opening up well, the fact that very little damage was done by the recent fire, flooding, and "creep," and the knowledge that the mines so affected will not only get back to the normal conditions of production, but with the aid of improved machinery will increase their percentage of metallic extraction.

The C.S.A. group came to the front, as the result of an excellent financial return from a bulk parcel of silver-lead ore sent to Cockle Creek by the C.S.A. Mines Company, together with the fact that the mine is opening up well below. Though the mine has to go a long way before it will support the boast of local residents that she will yet rival some of the best Broken Hill properties, nevertheless the results so far obtained, and the resources revealed, fully justify the belief that the C.S.A. will become an important group of mines.

Copper mines almost rivalled the attention bestowed upon silver stock. The slow but steadily progressive work in the Shuttleton group is telling its tale in improved developments at the lower levels. It is only natural to expect that in a chalcopritic lode, such as exists there, the lower levels will be enriched by the leaching of the copper pyrites from the oxidised zone, and thus improve the copper percentage. Developments in the Queen Bee copper mine, north of Cobar, indicate that she is as genuine a little mine as ever, whilst Cobar awaits with impatience the time when the leviathan London flotation, the Great Cobar, Limited, will assume control of the largest copper producer in Australia, with its valuable group of copper and gold mines, and treble the output from that magnificent copper field.

The attention devoted to Queensland and South Australian copper mines shows a firm belief in the future of those important copper propositions, which are as yet in their infancy as regards developmental work at any depth. There is every hope for the future in the work of the O.K., Mount Elliott, Mount Molloy, Chillagoe, Mungana, and Hampden Cloncurry, whilst the high-priced shares in the Mount Cannindah Copper Syndicate have irresistible attractions for some investors. South Australia's champion copper producer, the Wallaroo and Moonta, gives every promise of possessing a long lease of life, whilst the Mount Lyell mine is certain to add to the world's output for some time to come.

It is no wonder that tin-mining at its present price is attracting an extraordinary amount of attention from capitalists. In this State it has become more important than gold mining. The result is that the New England district, especially in and around Tingha, Emmaville, and Deepwater, as well as further east, on the border at Stanthorpe, a large amount of energy is being expended in winning tin. In the New England district, especially, new enterprises are being entered upon, and the end of the year ought to see a great increase in the production of metallic tin.

It is a noteworthy circumstance that the Broken Hill district is likely to add to its marvellous reputation as possessing the wealthiest mile of silver country in the world by also becoming a producer of tin. Adelaide capitalists have taken up large areas of land, in which good tin-bearing lodes are said to exist. In Tasmania the industry is now and again hampered by heavy floods in the rivers where dredging is carried on.

With regard to the gold-mining industry, whilst it is impossible to announce any great improvements in the mines of New South Wales and Queensland, nevertheless it can be truthfully said that development work is satisfactory in proving the horizontal and downward continuity of reefs. Bendigo retains the proud distinction of developing new and important lodes at the greatest depth attained by any gold mines in the world.

It is also pleasing to note that on the "Golden Mile" at Kalgoorlie the developments in such important mines as the Great Boulder, Oroya Brown Hill, and Ivanhoe have changed the prospects of that field, since the days when its reefs had walls of decomposed diabase, which has been succeeded by harder and more permanent walls in the unoxidised zone.

The market, as usual, opened very quiet on Monday, with very little business transacted, but prices firm. Tuesday witnessed considerable attention paid to the C.S.A. group of silver mines; copper mines in the background; whilst Broken Hill silver stocks, New South Wales and Bendigo gold mines commanded considerable support. New South Wales copper investments were regarded with favour. A good "all-round" selling market ruled on Thursday, whilst the feature of Friday's operations was a sharp rally in Broken Hill stocks, with a considerable turnover in Queensland copper stocks at advanced rates, except in the case of O.K.

For the last day in the week, and also of the half-year, Saturday's business was remarkably good. There was an excellent demand for Broken Hill shares, especially British Broken Hill (old), which sold at 43s, 42s 6d, whilst Broken Hill Junction North were placed at 20s 6d. The quotations for other leading stocks on the Barrier field showed a very firm attitude on the part of sellers. An improved tone prevailed in regard to Western Australian shares, and good business was recorded in Chaffers, Boulder Perseverance, and Great Boulder. In the copper section, Mount Elliott firmed from 39s to 40s, a Mount Cannindah share sold at £237 10s (a good advance), O.K. hardened to 24s, whilst Shuttleton and Crowl Creek shares changed hands at improved rates. Wallaroo and Moonta held fairly steady. In New South Wales gold mines, Baker's Creek rose to 2s 1d, and Mount David were quitted at 8d. In the C.S.A. group, a parcel of C.S.A. Mines sold at 32s.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
Girilambone Mining	0 1 2	0 2 0
Mount Molloy	0 13 0	0 14 0
North Nymagee	0 1 0	0 1 3
O. K.	1 4 0	1 4 3
Shuttleton	0 3 5	0 3 6
Ditto, contributing	0 2 0	0 2 1
Hampden Cloncurry	0 18 0	0 19 0
Mount Elliott	1 18 0	2 2 0
Wallaroo and Moonta	2 12 0	—
TIN.		
Briseis	0 14 0	0 15 0
Briseis Extended	1 10 0	—
Dalziell's Tin Mines	0 7 6	0 8 2
Smith's Creek Proprietary	0 7 2	0 7 4
Stannary Hills	—	0 3 0
SILVER. New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill	2 2 6	2 2 9
Broken Hill Proprietary	3 14 6	3 15 6
British Broken Hill	2 2 6	2 2 9
Broken Hill Proprietary	3 14 6	3 15 6
Ditto, Block 14	1 9 6	1 11 0
Ditto, Preference	1 7 6	1 8 6
B. H. Junction	0 5 11	0 6 9
B. H. Junction North	1 0 6	1 0 9
B. H. North	2 14 6	2 15 0
B. H. North Extended	0 2 0	0 2 6
B. H. South	4 19 6	5 1 0
B. H. South, contributing	4 12 0	4 14 0
B. H. South Blocks	1 13 3	1 14 0
New White Leads	0 4 6	0 4 9
Sulphide Corporation (ordinary)	0 11 6	0 12 6
Rising Sun	0 0 8	0 0 8½
C. S. A., paid	1 11 6	1 12 0
Ditto, Central	—	4 0 0
Ditto, North	—	4 0 0
Burragorang, contributing	0 6 0	—
Tasmania.		
Curtin and Davis	0 0 6	0 1 0
Mount Lyell	—	2 2 0
GOLD. New South Wales, etc.		
Baker's Creek	0 2 1	0 2 2
Harden	0 18 0	0 18 9
Mount David	0 0 8	0 0 9
Myall and Peak Hill, paid	0 2 6	0 3 10
Mount Dryadale	0 2 9	0 2 9
New Hillgrove Proprietary	0 7 1	0 7 4
Occidental	0 8 9	0 9 3
Sunlight	0 1 9	0 2 0
Woodlark Island	0 1 5	0 1 8
Ditto, contributing	0 0 4	0 0 6
Dredging and Sluicing.		
Amalgamated Tin	0 10 0	0 7 4
Araluen Central	0 1 0	—
Ditto, contributing	0 10 0	—
Associated Gold Dredging	0 5 1	0 5 4
Elrington	0 1 9	—
Jembaicumbene	0 1 6	—
New Wylie Creek	0 5 8	0 6 9
Ovens Valley	0 6 0	0 6 2
Stanthorpe	0 4 9	0 5 1
Queensland—Charters Towers, etc.		
Band of Hope	—	0 4 0
Ditto, contributing	—	0 2 0
Brilliant Central	0 10 0	—
Clark's Brilliant Worcester, etc.	—	0 1 7
Kelly's Queen's Block	—	0 6 0
Ditto, contributing	—	0 5 3
Marshall's Queen	—	0 5 2
Ditto, contributing	—	0 4 2
Mount Morgan	3 9 0	—
Queen Central	—	0 4 6
Queen Cross Reef	—	0 8 9
Ruby	0 2 3	—
Ditto, contributing	0 1 0	—
Victoria and Caledonia Block	0 2 0	0 2 4
Ditto, contributing	0 1 2	0 1 4
Victory	0 4 9	0 4 11
Gympie.		
Columbia Extended	0 0 4	—
East Oriental and Glanmire	0 1 0	—
North Columbia and Smithfield, No. 1	0 1 0	0 1 3
Ditto, contributing	0 0 6	0 0 9
North Oriental and Glanmire, No. 1	0 2 10	0 3 2
South Glanmire and Monkland	0 7 9	0 8 6
South Great Eastern No. 2	0 15 0	0 15 8
South Oriental and Glanmire, No. 1	0 2 0	0 2 6
Victoria.		
Black Horse	0 4 3	0 5 9
Hustler's Reef	1 4 0	—
Western Australia.		
Associated Northern Block	—	1 6 6
Chaffer's	0 1 9	0 1 10
Great Boulder	1 5 3	1 6 3
Ditto, Main Reef	0 3 0	0 3 4½
Ditto, No. 1	0 7 3	0 8 0
Ditto, Perseverance	0 9 9	0 10 6
Great Fingall Consolidated	—	4 5 0
Hainault, ex div.	1 10 0	1 12 0
Kalgurli South, London register	1 5 0	—
Lake View Consols, L.R.	1 1 6	—
Oroya-Brown Hill	2 15 0	—
Queensland Menzies	—	0 4 10
Queen Margaret	0 4 2	0 4 10

EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales were reported:—Forenoon: British Broken Hill (old), 43s; Goldfields Extended, 3s; Wallaroo and Moonta, 52s 4½d. On 'Change: O.K. Copper, paid, 24s; British Broken Hill (old), 42s 6d; C.S.A. Mines, paid, 32s; Baker's Creek, 2s 1d; Mount David, 8d; Chaffers, 1s 10d; Shuttleton, paid, 3s 6d. Later: British Broken Hill (old), 42s 6d; Great Boulder Perseverance, London delivery, 10s 3d; No. 2 South Great Eastern, 15s; Broken Hill Junction North, 20s 6d; Great Boulder, 25s 10½d; Crowl Creek, contg., 6s; New Hillgrove, 7s 3d; Mount Cannindah, £239 10s; Mount Elliott, 40s.

BREVITIES.

The South Glanmire and Monkland Company report a return of 222oz amalgam since the previous washing up.

The Victory (Charters Towers) crushed 71 tons from No. 1 shaft for a yield of 80oz of gold. The concentrates and residues have yet to come.

For the week ended June 30 the Broken Hill Block 10 mine treated 2857 tons of crudes for 338 tons concentrates; despatched 208 tons concentrates, and has on hand 582 tons.

According to an advertisement published in Saturday's issue by N. Gutaridge, Limited, sole licensees and manufacturers of the Card concentrator, the petition of the Wilfley Company against the judgment of the High Court has been refused by the Privy Council, with costs against the appellants. As is well known to mining men, the Wilfley concentrator is largely used in the mining industry throughout Australia. Some time ago the Card concentrator came upon the scene, and legal steps were taken by the Wilfley Company against N. Guthridge, Limited, in order to prohibit the sale of the Card concentrator on certain legal grounds. These were not supported by the High Court, hence the appeal to the Privy Council. The matter was freely discussed on Saturday amongst mining men, and the opinion was expressed that the competition between the rival concentrators will prove beneficial to the mining industry, inasmuch as it will result in the manufacturers of each machine striving to attain perfection in the handling of complex ores. In this way the mining industry will benefit by the higher standard of efficiency attained in the mechanical and economical handling of either high or low grade complex ores. The Card concentrator is being installed in some of the leading Broken Hill mines, where the character of the ore necessitates careful, efficient, and rapid concentration.

For the week ended June 30 the main shaft of the C.S.A. mines was sunk to 88ft. The ore assays were:—Lead, 11 per cent.; gold, 1oz; silver, 7½oz.

A special report issued by the general manager of the Ivanhoe Gold Corporation states:—"I have to report for public information that on the 1373ft level, north drive, at 60ft in east crosscut, section 7, we passed through the east lode, the width of which is 6ft, assaying £6 10s per ton, and underlying to the west. The position of this is a little north of where the diamond drill hole passed through same."

A letter to the directors of the Broken Hill Junction North Company, respecting the proposed amalgamation of that mine with the North Broken Hill, is being extensively signed by the New South Wales shareholders in the former company. The tenor of the letter will be judged from the following sentence:—"The extreme anxiety which the gentlemen referred to (directors and large shareholders in the North Broken Hill Company) are showing to accomplish this object suggests to our minds that they are aware that very great advantages would accrue by such amalgamation to the North Broken Hill Company, which they represent, and we are concerned lest, should amalgamation be accomplished, corresponding disadvantages would be suffered by us as shareholders of the Junction North Company." It is, therefore, suggested that before anything is done in the matter the directors of the Broken Hill Junction mine should obtain from their late mine manager, Mr. Thomas Henry Palmer, B.E., F.C.S., a full report on the advantages and disadvantages, if any, to the company of amalgamation, and also supply such information as would enable the two companies to make equitable terms, if amalgamation should be decided on.

The manager of the Jembaicumbene Middle Ground Dredging Company reports that he started dredging again last Tuesday, after putting in the new crown wheel, but as he only did 54½ hours' work during the week, he will not clean up until next week.

The manager of the Broken Hill Block 10 Company reports there is no truth in the rumour that the power-house has sunk. He states there has been no further movement in any part of the mine.

The directors of the Havelock Goldmining Company, Tuckanarra, Cue district, W.A., have received word from their mine manager, Mr. William Rees, that in the crosscut put in at 86ft from the main shaft he has cut the reef 3ft wide, showing good gold, the lode being well defined.

At nearly three-quarters of a mile from the surface, the Victoria Quartz mine, on the New Chum line, Bendigo, will shortly drive a cross to pick up a gold-bearing reef found 100ft above.

Development work is to be proceeded with at the Hampden-Cloncurry mine, North Queensland, upon similar lines to the recommendations in the report of Mr. A. Savage. Three new shafts will be sunk so as to test the value of the formation at a depth at both ends of the outcrop, and also near the centre of the surface workings. In addition, the present shaft—which is down about 115ft—will be unwatered and deepened. An excellent smelter site has been secured contiguous to leases from which ironstone flux and limestone can be readily obtained.

SHUTTLETON COPPER-MINING COMPANY.

The first annual meeting of shareholders in the Shuttleton Copper-mining Company was held on Friday at the company's office, Bridge-street. The chair was taken by Mr. J. Whear Roberts, and he moved the adoption of the balance-sheet and report, which covered a period of 16 months. In doing so, he stated that development work is being carried out at the 80ft, 380ft, and 440ft levels. Last advices from the mine showed that the south level at 380ft is 105ft in lode formation all the way. At 105ft a crosscut was started to prove the width of the lode, and the manager reported the ore to be good. At 440ft a crosscut was also being driven across the lode. At no point in either of the levels was there signs of a footwall. The lode was true chalcopyrite (copper pyrites) ore. The appearance of the stone led to the belief that the 380ft was near the cap of the sulphide body, and that as the lode went down it would become less dredgy and more solid than it was at present.

A letter was read from Mr. G. Eason, one of the directors, and one of the original owners of the adjoining mine, the Crowl Creek. Having recently inspected the Shuttleton mine, he wrote that he was "very pleased with the appearance of the bottom, and 380ft levels. It looks to me that we are upon a strong ore body, which should develop going south. I believe the future of the mine is now sound."

In reply to questions, the chairman said that vigorous development would be carried on before considering the question of erecting smelters. Meanwhile, if satisfactory terms were offered, parcels of ore would be sold to smelting companies. The report and balance-sheet were adopted, and the retiring directors re-elected.

THE HILLGROVE GOLDFIELD.

HILLGROVE, Saturday.

During the week ended June 29 good progress was made by the Baker's Creek Company, in deepening the main shaft. The drive south on Smith's Reef from the crosscut at No. 16 level is being proceeded with, the reef showing gold. Stoping is being carried on at the back of the 15ft and 16ft levels on Smith's Reef. Thirty stampers have been crushing in the day shift during the week.

Antimony mining is progressing steadily. At the Freehold Estate good progress is being made in sinking the main shaft. The boiler and winch are in position, and the poppet legs will probably be erected next week.

L. Smith and party have a splendid reef. Their show looks better than ever. Other tributers are doing well, but no further tributes are to be let on the block. The smelters are working full time, turning out a large quantity of crude material.

The tributers in the Garibaldi mine are on a good reef. They anticipate selling a 10-ton parcel next week. Smith and Fisher, of the Slaughteryard Freehold, have a good reef, and are at presenting putting a 10-ton parcel through the smelters. At the Four Mile the various shows are on good ore; also those down the Falls, on the Metz side of the gorge. Most of the claims report being on good ore. A heavy sale is expected there in a week or so. Fully 200 men are engaged in antimony mining round Hillgrove. The price locally ranges from £22 to £26 per ton, according to the grade of the output. Scheelite is rather slack, but the price is firm at £59 per ton.

It is reported that a very rich chute of gold was discovered in the stopes at 16ft level on Smith's Reef, in the Baker's Creek mine, during the week.

THE PEAK HILL MINING FIELD.

PEAK HILL, Saturday.

The Myall Peak Hill Gold Mines reports the following yields for the four weeks ended June 16:—Peak Hill, 230oz, tributers (Harris and son) 12oz 10dwt, Myall cyanide 50oz, Myall tributers 119oz 10dwt. Altogether 1987 tons of ore were treated at Peak Hill, including 37 tons from Harris and son, and 344 tons at Myall. The Myall tributers are earning good dividends. Birnie and Nicolls treated 296 tons for 105oz, Brown and party 25 tons for 3oz 10dwt, and Tattersall and party 13 tons for 11oz. The prospects of Peak Hill district never looked brighter. The improved plant at the Proprietary mine will enable a much larger quantity of ore to be treated. A considerable amount of low grade ore is now being treated profitably.

A POINT IN MINING LAW.

MARBLE v IRONSTONE.

RYLSTONE, Saturday.

A decision of considerable importance in mining matters was given here on Thursday. Mr. C. A. Edwards, P.M., sitting as a Warden's Court, had before him an application from Thomas Russell for authority to enter Mr. R. M. Fitzgerald's land on behalf of the Commonwealth White Marble Company. Mr. John Phillips objected to the authority, on the ground of a previous lease from R. M. Fitzgerald. According to this lease, dated September 24, 1899, he secured the right to mine for iron ore and limestone for 42 years. Mr. Davidson, solicitor for Mr. Phillips, contended that, as iron ore and limestone were not made minerals within the meaning of the Mining Acts by proclamation in the "Gazette," the agreement between Phillips and Fitzgerald was not affected by the legislation of 1903.

The P.M. held that Mr. Phillips should have protected himself by the provision of the subsequent Acts. As he had failed to do so, his objection to the application was not good, and he ordered the authority to issue.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

To-day's sales in the Exchange were:—Associated (col.), 39s 6d, b 39s 3d, s 39s 9d; do. (London register), b 39s 3d, s 40s; Associated Northern Block (col.), b 24s 3d, s 24s 9d; Bayley's Mines, 1s, b 11d, s 1s; Great Boulder (London delivery), b 26s, s 26s 3d; ditto (col.), 26s 1½d, 26s 4½d, b 26s 3d, s 26s 6d; Golden Pole, 8s; Boulder Perseverance (col.), 10s 1½d, 10s 3d, b 10s 1½d, s 10s 4½d; Lake View Consols (col.), 23s, b 22s 9d, s 23s; ditto (London delivery), 23s; Royal Princess (contg), b 11s 9d, s 12s 3d; Mount Margaret, 4s 6d, 4s 7d, 4s 6d, b 4s 6d, s 4s 7d; Victory, 1s 7½d, 1s 8d, 1s 7½d, b 1s 7d, s 1s 8d; Baker's Creek, 2s 1d, 2s 5d, b 2s 4d, s 2s 6d; Tarcoola Blocks, 2s 6d, b 2s 6d, s 2s 7d; Broken Hill Proprietary, 74s 6d, b 74s 6d, s 74s 9d; Block 14, 27s 9d, b 27s 9d, s 28s; British Broken Hill (old), 42s 9d; ditto (col.), 42s 9d, b 42s 9d, s 43s; ditto (new), 41s, 40s 9d, 41s, b 41s, s 41s 3d; Block 10, 86s, b 86s, s 87s; B.H. Junction, 6s, b 5s 11d, s 6s; B.H. North Extended, 2s 1½d, 2s 1d, b 2s 1d, s 2s 2d; B.H. South (paid), b £5 0s 6d, s £5 1s; ditto (contg), 93s, b 92s 6d, s 93s 6d; B.H. South Blocks, 33s 10½d, b 33s 9d, s 34s; B.H. Junction North, 20s 9d, 20s 4½d, 20s 6d, b 20s 4½d, s 20s 6d; Sulphides, 11s 9d; Rising Sun, 7d; Narlala, b £49, s £51; Grant's Nor'-west, b 15s, s 20s; New White Lead, 4s 6½d, 4s 7d, b 4s 6½d, s 4s 7d; O.K., 24s 3½d 24s 1½d, b 24s 1½d, s 24s 3d; Hampden Cloncurry, 18s 6d, b 18s, s 18s 6d; Wallaroo and Moonta, 52s 6d, b 52s, s 53s; Briseis, b 14s 7½d, s 14s 9d; Weldbrook, b 20s, s 25s; Dalziell, 7s 8d, 7s 10d, 7s 9d, b 7s 8d, s 7s 10d; Smith's Creek, 7s 3d, 7s 2d; Adelaide Hydraulic Sluicing, 30s, 40s, b 37s 6d, s 42s 6d; Echunga, 62s 6d, 65s, b 62s 6d, s 65s.

BENDIGO, Saturday.

To-day's sales were:—Catherine Reef, 68s, 65s 6d; Goldfields Consolidated, 14s 10d, 15s, 14s 9d, 14s 9d; Hustler's Reef, 23s 3d, 23s 6d; New Chum Goldfields, 21s 6d, 21s 9d; Specimen Hill, 54s 6d; Williams' United, 22s 7½d, 23s; Victoria Quartz, 18s 3d, 18s 4½d.

GYMPIE, Saturday.

To-day's quotations were:—Columbia Smithfield, contg, 9d, 1s 4d; No. 1 North Columbia, 1s, 1s 4d; Columbia Extended, 5d, 7d; South Glanmire and Monkland, 7s 10d, 8s 6d; No. 1 South Great Eastern, 1s 6½d, 1s 10d; No. 1 North Oriental, 2s 9½d, 3s 2d; No. 1 South Oriental, 2s, 2s 6d; Oriental Extended, paid, 4½d, 7d; East Oriental, contg, 4½d, 6d; North Smithfield, 10½d, 1s 1d; Eastern 2 and 3 Tribute, 4d, 10d; United 7 and 8 Monkland, contg, 3½d, 7d.

LAUNCESTON, Saturday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—Tasmanian, b 23s 6d, s 24s 6d; Mount Lyell Blocks, b 8s; Primrose, s 7s 10d, sale 7s 10d; Tasmanian Copper, b 8s, s 8s 11d; Briseis, s 15s 6d; Mount Bischoff, b £49 10s, s £50 10s; Arba, b 14s 6d, s 22s 9d, sales 21s, 22s; Pioneer, s £9 12s 6d; Eastern, b 9s 3d, s 10s 5d.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—Silver: Block 10, 86s, b 85s, s 86s 6d; Block 14, b 27s, s 30s; British Broken Hill (old), 42s 6d, 42s 9d, b 42s 6d, s 42s 9d; Broken Hill Proprietary, 74s, b 74s, s 74s 6d; B.H. Junction, b 5s 11d; B.H. Junction North, 20s 6d, b 20s 6d, s 20s 9d; B.H. Junction North Extended, 2s 1d, s 2s 3d; B.H. South, s 94s; B.H. South (paid), s £5 1s; B.H. South Blocks, 33s 6d, b 33s, s 33s 9d; Coppabella (contg), b 1s, s 2s; ditto (paid), b 4s, s 4s 6d; New White Leads, 4s 8d, 4s 9d, b 4s 8d, s 4s 9d; North Broken Hill, b 54s, s 54s 3d.

Gold and copper: Mount Lyell, 37s, 36s 6d, b 36s 3d, s 36s 6d; do., Lyell Blocks, 8s 3d, 8s 1d, b 8s, s 8s 2d; Hampden Cloncurry, 17s, 18s 3d, b 17s 10½d, s 18s 6d; Mount Elliott, 39s, 40s, b 40s, s 40s 3d; O.K. Copper (paid), b 24s 3d, s 24s 9d; Crowl Creek (paid), b 5s; Mount Morgan, b 68s, s 71s.

Tin: Annan River, b £6 10s, s £7; Briseis, 14s 6d, 14s 7½d, b 14s 7½d, s 14s 9d; ditto Extended, 41s, 43s, 41s, b 42s, s 45s; Mutual Hill, 2s 9d, 2s 8d, b 2s 8d, s 2s 9d; New Reiby Flat, 13s 6d, b 13s 6d, s 15s; Pioneer Extended, 6s, b 6s, s 6s 2d; St. Helens, 3s, b 3s, s 5s; Weldbrook, b 21s, s 27s.

Victorian gold mines: Ajax, 27s 6d, b 28s, s 29s; Arthur's Creek, 3s 6d; Black Horse United, 5s, 4s 9d, 5s 11d, b 5s 9d; Catherine Reef, 65s 6d; Golden Age, 10s 7d, b 10s; Goldfields Consols, 14s 9d, b 14s 9d, s 15s; Hustler's Reef, 22s 6d, 23s, b 22s 9d, s 23s 3d; Long Tunnel, £9 4s, £9 5s, £9 4s, b £9 3s, s £9 4s; ditto Extended, b £13 1s; New Argus, b 40s, s 42s; New Chum Goldfields, 22s, b 21s 6d, s 22s; New Dempsey, 6s 6d, b 6s, s 6s 6d; New Loch Fyne, b 2s 7d; New Moon, b £8, s £8 5s; Normanby North, 8s 4½d; Nuggety Ajax, 7s 6d; ditto South, 1s 10d, 1s 9d; South New Moon, £5 13s, b £3 12s, s £5 14s; South Star, 3s 6d, b 3s 9d; Specimen Hill, 54s, b 53s, s 54s; Star of the East, 8s 9d, 9s, b 9s, s 9s 9d; St. Mungo, 18s, b 17s 3d, s 18s 6d; Victors' Quartz, 2s 3d, b 2s 3d; Williams' United, 22s 3d, 22s 6d, b 22s, s 22s 6d.

Western Australian gold mines: Barrambie Ranges, 30s 3d, 32s, b 32s, s 32s 8d; ditto (paid), b 21s, s 32s; Black Range, £16 5s, £13 10s, b £15 15s, s £16; Great Boulder, 26s, b 26s, s 26s 3d; Princess Royal Central, s 2s 9d; Tindal's, b 1s 10d, s 2s.

FLOODING OF A TIN MINE.

LAUNCESTON, Saturday.

The manager of the Briseis Extended tin mine thinks that nothing can now be done towards unwatering it until the training wall has been constructed. This will occupy several weeks. The flood water disclosed in the face payable tin, which is showing freely, and the manager is more confident of the outlook.

TASMANIAN TIN MINING.

LAUNCESTON, Saturday.

The yield of the Briseis Extended for a seven days' run was 2 tons 15cwt of firsts and 5cwt of seconds. It is estimated that 2 tons were left in the paddock.

The Derby mine is still isolated owing to the destruction of the Branxholm bridge. At Bell's Flat, where the Gladstone is at work, trouble was experienced with floating timber coming down the river. The company was only able to do about four days' dredging last week and about four days this week. The South Cybelle cleaned up for 2½ bags of tin. The first loads of timber and machinery for the Cybelle mine were delivered yesterday, and carting for the dredge on Dorset Flat is also starting. The Boobyalla-road is in a terrible state, and likely to soon become impassable.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN MINES.

KALGOORLIE, Sunday.

Mr. G. C. Klug relinquished charge of Boulder Perseverance on July 21. The newly-appointed manager, Mr. Borrowe, assumes control on August 1. At a meeting of shareholders of the Golden Ridge it was decided to make calls to put the company in a sound financial position, and provide money for development work. A dividend of 5s per share has been declared by the Black Range Company, making a total disbursement of 30s per share since January of the present year. The directors of the Ivanhoe have declared an interim dividend of 5s per share with respect to the year 1906, payable on July 26, subject to deduction of the English income tax of 1s in the £. This will be the thirty-second dividend, and means 19s per share since January of the present year.

FINE DEVELOPMENTS IN THE KALGOORLIE MINE.

SONS OF GWALIA RAISING ADDITIONAL CAPITAL.

KALGOORLIE, Saturday.

Another notable instance of the success lately attending deep-level mining on the Kalgoorlie field is furnished by the Kalgurli mine. Recently the big body of ore, known as the Eastern lode, was opened up some distance south, and rise started 50ft south of the shaft. The rise has since been put up 41ft in ore bulking 51dwt per ton. As some nice telluride veins and a little free gold are showing overhead it looks as if values are going to show a substantial increase. In rising on the ore on the west side of the shaft at this level even better values are being obtained. For the first 14ft driven the lode averaged about 12dwt for a width of 10ft. According to an official cable despatched to London yesterday, the next 11ft of lode stuff averaged 50dwt per ton. Rich telluride and free gold are showing in the present end of the drive, and indications point to a run of high-grade ore being exposed in this lode channel shortly. The Kalgurli may be said to be in all respects a sound mine.

An official cable received from Glasgow states that the rights of shareholders will be fully protected in connection with the forthcoming new issue of shares, 20,000, in the Hainault.

The directors of the Sons of Gwalia South are preparing to raise further capital, so as to exhaustively prospect the property. In order to obtain the necessary money, it is intended to issue the remaining 10,000 reserved shares. The issue will be offered in the first instance to shareholders, rateably in proportion to their holdings. The shares, which now have a nominal value of 10s each, will be issued paid up to 6s.

LONDON SHARE MARKET.

LONDON, July 1.

On the Stock Exchange yesterday quotations of Australian mining ventures were:—Associated Gold Mines, b £1 17s 6d, s £2; Broken Hill Proprietary, b £3 12s 6d, s £3 15s; British Broken Hill, b £2 2s, s £2 3s; South Broken Hill, b £5, s £5 2s 6d; Great Boulder, b 25s 3d, s 25s 9d; Ivanhoe, b £7 5s, s £7 15s; Lake View Consols, b 21s 3d, s 22s 6d; Mount Lyell, b 37s, s 38s; Briseis, 14s 6d, s 15s 6d.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

North-Eastern Tin Sluicing Company, June 23.—Sluicing proceeded during week with three shifts; a larger quantity of gravel being removed. Good supply of water in head race enabled us to use breaking-down nozzle from high pressure column; head race now delivering 20 sluice heads of water daily. Will continue sluicing for another fortnight before cleaning up. Boxes showing payable tin.

Cope's Creek Central Tin Company, June 23.—No. 2 paddock: Shifted in nozzle pump to draw water from No. 1 paddock, on 17th; ran down boxes on the 18th; resumed sluicing on the same day; ground hard, but carrying fair seams of tin; tailings now being dumped into the No. 1 paddock; other old cut being filled in; good rains recently.

North Mount Farrell, June 23.—No. 2 level, No. 3 lode: Rise up 25ft 6in, lode 6in firsts, and 3ft seconds. No. 3 level: Lode seconds; south 2ft 3in, lode seconds. No. 4 level, No. 3 lode: Lode 4in firsts, drive south; lode 3ft firsts, 3ft seconds. Main crosscut extended 10ft, passing through 3in firsts, and 3ft seconds; 300ft north of main cross cut another crosscut, being driven east; should cut lode in another 30ft. Ore returned for the week, 465 tons seconds and 17 tons firsts. Mill worked 92½ hours, treating 465 tons for return of 38 tons concentrates. Marketable ore produced, 55 tons.

MINING YIELDS.

During the week the following yields were reported:—

NEW SOUTH WALES.

DREDGING RETURNS.

No. 1 Araluen Central, 134 hours, 30oz.
No. 2 Araluen Central, 201 hours, 31oz 10dwt.
Araluen Redbank, 94 hours, 44oz.

GOLD YIELDS.

	oz.	dwt.	gr.
Lachlan Goldfields (Forbes), 720 tons	329	0	0
Mount David, 365 tons	111	0	0

QUEENSLAND.

	oz.	dwt.	gr.
South Glanmire and Monkland, copper plates, six months	210	17	0
Brilliant Central, 750 tons	278	0	0
Brilliant Central, concentrates and residues, worth	£524	0	0
Victory (Charters Towers), 39 tons	106	0	0
Victory (Charters Towers), 71 tons	80	0	0
Grant and Sunset Extended (Charters Towers), 113 tons, gold worth	£567	0	0
Brilliant Block (Charters Towers), 375 tons, gold worth	£514	0	0
No. 1 N. Oriental and Glanmire, 675 tons	528	0	0

DIVIDENDS.

Dividends have been declared payable on the dates mentioned hereunder. C denotes when transfer books close, and P when payable:—

	s	d
N.S.W.		
Reform Dredging, P July 2	0	6
Golden Fleece, Wyalong	0	6
Broken Hill Water Supply, C June 20, P July 2	0	6
VICTORIA.		
Moses Creek, C July 5, P July 10	1	0
Caledonia, C June 28, P July 2	1	0
Tewkesbury Freehold, P July 1	80	0
New Imperial, C June 26, July 2	1	0
Long Tunnel, C June 9, P July 17	1	0
Long Tunnel, bonus	1	0
New Imperial, C June 26, P July 2	0	6
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.		
Kalgoorlie, C June 16, P July 6	7	6
Associated Northern, C June 16, P July 5	2	0
Great Fingall Consolidated, P July 10	5	0
Black Range, C June 22, P July 2	5	0
TASMANIAN.		
Mount Lyell Blocks, C June 26, P July 11	0	6
QUEENSLAND.		
Mount Molloy, C June 4, P July 7	0	6
Mount Morgan, P July 2	0	6

ENGINEDRIVERS' EXAMINATIONS.

The board of examiners of Enginedrivers appointed under the Mines Inspection Act, 1901, have submitted to the Minister for Mines and Agriculture (Mr. Moore) their report on the examinations for certificates of competency held recently at Sofala, Adelong, Euchareena, Nerrigundah, Araluen, Wellington, Tumberumba, Howell, Wyalong, Broken Hill, Orange, Sydney, Cobar, Hillgrove, Cooma, and Canbelego. One hundred and fifty-four candidates attended. Following is a list of passes in order of merit:—

Winding.—G. Thear, Hillgrove; B. Kane, Broken Hill; C. H. R. Guppy, Broken Hill; J. Kelly, Cobar; A. E. Doyle, Canbelego; J. Twist, Cobar; F. N. Reinecke, Sydney, and C. Ross, Cobar, equal; T. Macgregor, Orange.

Ordinary.—J. S. Tanner, Sofala; A. M'Innes, Nerrigundah; J. Bernie, Howell, and F. E. Clarke, Broken Hill, equal; T. R. Flynn, Sofala, L. H. Channon, Wyalong, W. C. M'Pherson, Broken Hill, R. G. Pride, Broken Hill, J. Hastings, Broken Hill, and R. Christie, Cobar, equal; J. Weston, Orange, and D. Ross, Sydney, equal; W. S. Higgins, Wyalong, and J. Dennis, Orange, equal; T. Hungerford, Euchareena; J. J. Hush, Nerrigundah, A. H. Kimpton, Araluen, T. Gannon, Araluen, H. J. Bennett, Wellington, N. T. Cosgrove, Howell, and A. Coles, Sydney, equal; W. D. Doolan, Araluen, E. Beadman, Araluen, J. Olrick, Howell, G. J. Woolcock, Broken Hill, H. M. Luckie, Broken Hill, B. Gluyas, Broken Hill, J. Rice, Sydney, A. B. Kirkman, Cobar, and R. A. Anderson, Canbelego, equal; S. T. Parker, Araluen, N. Matson, Araluen, J. A. Parker, Araluen, J. Leonard, Wyalong, H. G. Hunt, Broken Hill; C. Faggotter, Broken Hill, W. S. Hooper, Orange, V. Kennedy, Cobar, and W. B. Allen, Canbelego, equal; A. Gale, C. H. Randle, Sofala, E. H. Plumb, J. D. Gibson, T. J. Nash, Araluen, H. Cornelson, Tumberumba, J. A. Burnett, R. A. Paterson, Howell, H. D. Nicholson, Wyalong, and H. Minter, Sydney, equal; J. E. M'Connell, Sofala, J. T. Powers, Adelong, T. H. Ginn, F. N. Bell, Araluen, F. F. Mathews, Wellington, A. A. Clarke, Howell, and D. Peters, Orange, equal; W. F. M'Namara, Adelong, D. J. Canning, J. T. Currie, Araluen, G. Collins, Wellington, S. Hornby, Tumberumba, R. W. Ayres, Howell, H. S. Bright, Broken Hill, H. J. Jones, W. Bull, Sydney, and G. E. Warrington, Cooma, equal; W. Aubrey, Sofala, W. M'Carron, Adelong, J. Mackay, Nerrigundah, J. Curry, K. Fraser, M. Gannon, Araluen, W. Bloomfield, Wellington, F. Steele, Wyalong, T. Read, Broken Hill, W. Sewell, Orange, A. M'Laughlin, Cobar, A. Povey, Cooma, and R. M'Beattie, Canbelego, equal; J. Manning, Araluen, G. Ramain, J. Newton, Wellington, J. Mather, W. Bourk, Tumberumba, H. Niel, G. Stewart, Howell, F. Gardner, Wyalong, T. Couch, Sydney, and J. J. Smith, Cobar, equal; B. Dickson, Nerrigundah, W. J. Fole, Tumberumba, H. Flynn, Cobar, S. Griffiths, Sofala, J. Dibley, Euchareena, J. W. Hush, Araluen, S. Dostinich, Wellington, F. Hines, G. Rogers, W. Costello, Howell, and T. M'Keon, Canbelego, equal; J. Donaldson, Broken Hill, R. S. Brown, Cobar, and M. J. Groat, Canbelego, equal; F. Bissott, Sofala, E. Smith, Howell, T. Dobson, Sydney, G. H. Woodford, Cobar, and A. E. Pollock, Cooma, equal.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

A. G. JENKINS.—At corner of George and Margaret streets, at 9.30, Office Furniture, Books, etc.; at Kingston, Ocean Beach, Manly, at 11, Furniture, etc.

J. P. LISTER.—At his Rooms, at 11, Clothing, Boots, etc.; at 2, Sewing Machines, Musical Instruments, Platedware, etc.

J. R. JONES.—At 74 Castlereagh-street, at 11, Jewellery, Watches, etc.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 170 George-street, at 3, Furniture, etc.

LEAN.—At 554 Parramatta-road, Leichhardt, at Furniture, Clothing, etc.

E. H. BRODRIBB.—At the Haymarket Auction Rooms, at 2.30, Furniture, Pianos, Sewing Machines, etc.

NORRISS and CO.—At Newtown Markets, at 2.30 Clothing, etc.

J. M. CANTY.—At 541 George-street, at 11, Furniture, Tailors' Mirrors, Partitions, etc.

H. LEVY.—At 351 Cleveland-street, at 2, Clothing, Furniture, etc.

MITCHELL and CRANSTON.—At 235 Macquarie-street South, at 11, Furniture, etc.

At 14 Castlereagh-street, at 3, Office Furniture, etc.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, at 10.30, 11, and 12, Horses, Vehicles, etc.; at Rockilly Stables, Manly, at 1, Horses, Drags, Coaches, Buggies, Line of Road, Mail Contract, etc.

STUD SHEEP.

HILL, CLARK, and CO.—At Harrison, Jones, and Devlin's Stores, at 10, Merino Rams and Ewes.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown Station, at 7, Wood, etc.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, etc.

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SPORTING.

THE TURF.

General Kuroki and Savoury, two of the New Zealand horses that recently arrived here, were seen under silk at Warwick Farm on Saturday. General Kuroki was made an odds-on favourite for the Hurdle Race, but although he seemed to have the race at his mercy turning into the straight, Oliver easily accounted for him after negotiating the last obstacle. Savoury was among the starters for the Warwick Handicap, but he did not figure in the betting. He is a rich bay in colour, and has a good style of galloping, but was last to pass the post. The visiting pair, however, will be unlucky if they do not pick up a race or two while they are here.

Since coming to the metropolis, Lady Melena has taken part in three races, and started favourite on each occasion, so that she is proving costly to both her owner and backers. She did much better on Saturday than in her previous attempts, and it was only in the last few strides that Violet Cup wore her down. The latter's win was due in large measure to Smith's vigorous horsemanship. When betting opened on the race, Good Boy was a strong tip on the strength of good work he was alleged to have done in private, but he was eventually ousted from the position of favourite by Lady Melena. The gelding, however, did not show himself to be nearly as good as his reputation, for he finished a moderate third.

Sir Leonard was given a couple of runs at Warwick Farm on Saturday. He started at an outside price for the Liverpool Mile, and although he finished out of a place ran well enough to suggest that he would be better suited by the distance of the Pace Welter. He was accordingly one of the best-backed horses for that race, but again finished in the ruck. The winner, St. Patrick, opened at a short price, but subsequently eased several points, and wound up by starting a warm favourite. Protector, who, it will be remembered, showed promising form at Moorefield, again ran very well, and was only just accounted for in the last few strides by the favourite. The latter finished with great gameness, and thoroughly deserved to win, as it looked any odds on Protector at the distance.

A final reminder is given in our business columns that entries close at 4 p.m. to-day for the Rosehill Racing Club's meeting on the 14th inst. The programme is made up of Hurdle Race, Granville Stakes, July Stakes, Flying Welter, and Winter Stakes, each of 70 sovs., and the Rosehill Handicap of 100 sovs.

Entries for next Friday's pony and galloway meeting at Epping close at 5 p.m. on Wednesday.

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphs that Bondsman, Canto, and Cadenza, in charge of C. Wilson, have arrived at Flemington from Ballarat. The two last-named are engaged in the Grand National Hurdle Race.

Sleeper, who won the Liverpool Mile at Warwick Farm on Saturday, is in the Epsom Handicap with 7st 10lb, or 5lb more than he won that event with last year, and has 7st 2lb in the Metropolitan. The Bairn is also in several of the big spring handicaps, his engagements being:—Epsom Handicap, 7st; the Metropolitan, 6st 11lb; and Caulfield Cup, 6st 9lb.

Signature, who has 11st in the V.R.C. Grand National Hurdle Race, has been sent over to Melbourne.

Messrs. W. Inglis and Son will sell the thoroughbred horse Kerrabee at their bazaar at noon to-day.

The Kensington Racing Club will hold a meeting to-day, the first event starting at 2.15 p.m. Special trams will run to the course at frequent intervals from Circular Quay and the Railway Institute.

The adjourned meeting of the Kensington Bookmakers' Association is advertised to be held at the Queen's Hall, Pitt-street, at 8 o'clock to-night.

VICTORIAN TRAINING NOTES.

CAULFIELD.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

Things were quiet at Caulfield this morning, as a number of horses had engagements at Moonee Valley this afternoon. The sand track which was in capital order was used, and a number of the horses galloped in the dark, and could not be recognised. Merrigong and Voluta spurted four furlongs in 55s. Aurilium did long and strong work, and Beayer was doing something similar. Oblivion and Jollymont dashed over three furlongs in 40s, and Bombastes went over a similar distance in even time. Maltese ran a mile in 1m 53s, Lord Allendale following in a quarter of a second longer time. Thackeray did serviceable exercise, and Coraki went a mile and a quarter strongly. Sherman was even time doing five furlongs, and Divham went a long way in a long time. Bellis finished in front of Probus at the end of a mile, run in 1m 52s, while Belfry got out of hand and covered it in 1m 51s. Stopwatch was let off with an even time mile and a quarter. Kalnuck never once got his head for nine furlongs, run in 2m 5½s. Palindrome went at three-parts speed, the same kind of work being allotted to Royal Seal. Mercury did some half-pacing, and Moro jumped five fences very well indeed.

FLEMINGTON.

It was bitterly cold at Flemington this morning, when the big sand was again open for work, and seemed pretty fair going. Proceedings, however, were not as interesting as usual on account of so many horses being under orders to race in the afternoon. Decoration went two miles at three-parts speed, and spurted over the last five furlongs. Rogue's March galloped a mile and a half in 2m 55s, and Boisdale ran a couple of miles in 3m 57s. Wooroglin and Gnarkeet spurted half a mile in 52½s. Bribery (Williams) and Castanos (Violet) jumped the hurdles fairly well, the former going over six and the latter four of the obstacles. Another Tasmanian, Braemar (P. Sutherland) also schooled, and got over four hurdles well. Firepan did long, strong work, and Tact useful pacing. Up-to-Date, Sagamore, Young Creswick, and Dingo were also striding along. V.H.B. ran an even-time mile, and Scots Wha Hae a furlong less in 1m 38s. Barr went a mile, taking 1m 26s over the last six furlongs. Kohinoor was sent two miles, and completed the last one in 1m 56½s, while Springfield and the rest of Cox's jumpers did useful pacing. Australian, Cronje, Danjiuro, Vacarme, and Deering all did striding work, and Syringa did a working gallop over a couple of miles, the last one in even time. Valour and Current strode along, and Bones, Northcote, and King Edward were all likewise employed. Florin went about a couple of miles on the inside sand outside of even time, and Larissa galloped a mile, Graftonite helping in the early part of it, while Lothian did useful work. Bright Beauty spurted. Old Chappie just beat Bayonet over half a mile in 56s. Simode and Zepho went about a mile, and ran the last half in 56s, while Puzzle and Gelignite also went strongly, similar work being the portion of Mairp. Devonport and Blue Jacket ran the last six of eight furlongs in 1m 26s, and Alpine and Port Erin were one second more over the same ground. Abdallah did strong pacing, and Dancing Joe was striding along. Isis and Elderslie did long, strong work. The old mare does not show the dash she did some years ago. Northwood was getting slow towards the end of five furlongs in 1m 9s, while Mereworth and Navaho separately ran over the same ground in 1m 7s and 1m 7½s respectively. Assistance did an even-time mile and Newmarket went round at about three-parts speed. Romeo (C. T. Godby) and Basil (M'Neilage) went well in a school over the hurdles. Red Streak spurted. Fowling Piece ran six furlongs in 1m 27s, and Regret and Clipper half a mile in 56s. Amberite did much better than The Golden West in a trip over the hurdles, and Attitude did well to run six furlongs in 1m 19s. Kintail spurted half a mile in 52½s, Portland Bob accompanying him for the first three furlongs.

WARWICK FARM RACING CLUB.

JUNE MEETING.

SLEEPER AGAIN SUCCESSFUL.

THE BAIRN WINS THE PRINCIPAL EVENT.

The bright, pleasant weather which prevailed on Saturday was not without its effect on racegoers, for a larger crowd than usual attended the Warwick Farm meeting. The fields, too, were above the average, and the events were productive of good sport. There were no mishaps, and matters throughout worked smoothly. Details are as follow:—

HURDLE RACE, a sweepstakes of 24s each for starters, with 60 sovs added; second 10 sovs. About 2m.
Mr. E. Kyle's b g Oliver, by Sir Oliver—Civility, aged, 11st 5lb (T. J. M'Donald) ... 1
Messrs. Lind and Smith's ch g General Kuroki (late Kuroki), 6yrs, 10st 2lb (F. Lind) ... 2
Mr. F. B. Walker's b g Kelton, aged, 9st 1lb, including 1lb over (J. Montgomery) ... 3
Other starters: The Homer, 9st 5lb (E. M'Donald); Superstition, 9st 2lb, including 2lb over (P. Fallon); Seismic, 9st (T. Grimes).
Betting: 7 to 4 on General Kuroki, 2 to 1 v Oliver, 10 to 1 v others.

The Homer jumped off in front, and drawing out along the back came down the river side four lengths from Seismic and Kelton, with General Kuroki and Oliver next, and Superstition last. In that order they turned into the straight, and The Homer passed the stand for the second time a couple of lengths from Oliver, Seismic, and General Kuroki, after whom came Oliver, with Superstition still in the rear. General Kuroki came through as they neared the homestead, and passed that point a couple of lengths from The Homer, Seismic, and Kelton, with Oliver next and Superstition whipping in; but as they sailed along the back stretch Oliver moved up third, and The Homer dropped back last. At length intervals General Kuroki, Seismic, Oliver, and Kelton came along the river side, but as they turned into the straight Oliver challenged the favourite, was upsides with him at the distance, and wearing him inside that point beat him home by three and a half lengths. Kelton was three lengths off third, and six in advance of Seismic. Superstition was 15 lengths away, and The Homer a bad last. Time, 3m 57s.

LIVERPOOL MILE, a sweepstakes of 3s each for starters, with 90 sovs added; second 20 sovs, and third 10 sovs.
Mrs. J. C. Smith's b g Sleeper, by Metal (imp.)—Sleep, 6yrs, 8st 12lb (J. Barden) ... 1
Mrs. Henry White's b c Epic, 2yrs, 7st 2lb (R. W. Brennan) ... 2
Mr. W. Kelso's br c Victoria Cross, 3yrs, 7st 1lb, including 1lb over (C. Bolton) ... 3
Other starters: Sir Leonard, 9st 4lb (W. M'Laughlin); Cardoon, 9st (W. Kennedy); The Bairn, 7st 12lb (W. H. Smith); Cairngorm, 7st 10lb (G. Price); Deutscher, 7st 8lb (T. Clayton); Paree, 7st (K. Doyle).
Betting: 6 to 4 v Sleeper, 3 to 1 v The Bairn, 6 to 1 v Epic, 10 to 1 each v Deutscher, Sir Leonard, and Cairngorm, 12 to 1 v Victoria Cross, 33 to 1 v others.

Sleeper and Deutscher were the smartest off the mark, but the former was soon steadied, and Paree joined Deutscher in the lead, the pair being just in front of Victoria Cross, Cardoon, Sleeper, and Epic, with Cairngorm last. Racing along the back Cardoon and Paree changed places, and passing the five furlongs post Cardoon drew out a length and a half from Deutscher and Victoria Cross, after whom came the favourite, Paree, and The Bairn, with Cairngorm last. Cardoon melted out of it towards the end of the next furlong, leaving Victoria Cross in charge, with Sleeper at his girths, and closely attended by Cardoon, Deutscher, The Bairn, and Epic. Three furlongs from home Sleeper ran past Victoria Cross, and was not afterwards troubled, winning by two lengths from Epic, who beat Victoria Cross by four lengths for second honours. The Bairn was close up fourth; followed by Cairngorm, Sir Leonard, and Deutscher in a bunch; while Paree and Cardoon were the last to pass the post. Time, 1m 42½s.

FARM STAKES, a sweepstakes of 1 sov each for starters, with 50 sovs added; second 5 sovs. 6f.
Mr. A. Gollan's b f Violet Cup, by Trussing Cup (imp.)—Violet, 2yrs, 7st 1lb, including 1lb over (W. H. Smith) ... 1
Mr. R. Hoysted's br f Lady Melena, 2yrs, 7st 8lb (T. Clayton) ... 2
Mr. H. Rayner's b g Good Boy, 4yrs, 7st 7lb (H. Coffey) ... 3
Other starters: Submarine, 7st 12lb (C. Bolton); Woodlander, 7st 12lb (L. Casson); Conne, 7st 8lb (S. Gardiner); Claret Cup, 7st 4lb (W. Perry); Spence, 7st (E. Bennett); Kingscroft, 7st (C. Barden); Clare, 7st (R. Walker); Lady Florence, 6st 13lb, including 1lb over (K. Doyle); Never Mind, 6st 8lb, including 1lb over (T. Lamond).
Betting: 6 to 4 v Lady Melena, 7 to 4 v Good Boy, 6 to 1 v Lady Florence, 8 to 1 v Violet Cup, 15 to 1 each v Submarine and Never Mind, 20 to 1 v others.

Violet Cup and Lady Melena were the first to show out, while Conne, who was fractious, was the last to get going. Lady Melena and Violet Cup rattled along in front for the first couple of furlongs; then the former drew out for half a length lead from Violet Cup, after whom came Good Boy, Submarine, and Lady Florence, with Conne still in the rear. That order was preserved round the bend, into the straight, and to the half-distance, where Violet Cup tackled the favourite, cut her down in a few strides, and beat her by three-parts of a length. Good Boy was two lengths away third, followed by Submarine, Conne, Lady Florence, and Never Mind; while Spence and Kingscroft were the last to pass the post. Time, 1m 16s.

WARWICK HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 2 sovs each for starters, with 100 sovs added; second 20 sovs, and third 10 sovs. 1¼m.
Mr. J. Chambers's ch g The Bairn, by Lochiel—Enid's Daughter, 6yrs, 7st 13lb (F. Hickey) ... 1
Mr. J. A. Mayo's br g Byton, 6yrs, 8st 7lb (R. W. Brennan) ... 2
Messrs. H. P. S. and J. Osborne's br m Carolga, 4yrs, 7st 9lb (T. Clayton) ... 3
Other starters: Graceton, 8st 13lb (D. Lee); Savoury, 8st 12lb (G. Price); Grafton Lad, 8st 7lb (T. Hardiman); Red Flag, 7st 13lb (C. Bolton); Ryde, 7st 7lb (G. Reid); Raincloud, 7st 2lb (W. H. Smith); L'Aiglon, 7st 2lb (S. Gardiner).
Betting: 3 to 1 v Graceton, 4 to 1 v Grafton Lad, 5 to 1 v Byton, 6 to 1 Red Flag, 10 to 1 each v Ryde, The Bairn, and Raincloud, 15 to 1 v Carolga, 20 to 1 v others.

Carolga, Red Flag, and Graceton moved off in front, and Carolga showed the way past the stand from Savoury, Graceton, The Bairn and L'Aiglon, after whom came Byton, with Grafton Lad last. Carolga and The Bairn, almost on terms, passed the homestead, closely attended by Graceton, L'Aiglon, and Raincloud, with Byton at the head of the others, and Ryde last; but as they opened up the back stretch The Bairn ran to the front from L'Aiglon, Carolga, Byton, and Graceton. So they ran until nearing the half-mile post, where The Bairn was three lengths from Graceton and L'Aiglon, with Raincloud at the head of the others, and Ryde still in the rear. The Bairn held his advantage past the three furlongs post from Graceton, Byton, and Red Flag, and so they ran to the distance, where Byton moved into second place, but could not catch the leader, who won by a length. Carolga was three lengths off, third, and was succeeded by Red Flag, Raincloud, Graceton, Grafton Lad, and Ryde, with Savoury at the tail of the lot. Time, 2m 12½s.

PACE WELTER, a sweepstake of 1 sov each for starters, with 50 sovs added; second 5 sovs. 6f.
Mr. L. C. Want's br g St. Patrick, by St. Swithin—Liguria, 6yrs, 10st 4lb (W. Bracken) ... 1
Mr. M. P. B. Christian's ch g Protector, 5yrs, 8st 3lb (J. Nerine) ... 2
Mr. R. Gleeson's b h Famous, 6yrs, 11st 2lb (A. Thomas) ... 3
Other starters: Sir Leonard, 10st 4lb (J. Barden); Sarto, 9st 8lb (C. Bolton); Miss Rosebery, 9st 7lb (D. M'Carthy); Cruiskeen (late Bonnie Jess), 8st 7lb (P. Houseman); Veronique, 8st (G. Osborne); Lady Florence, 8st (R. W. Brennan); Percival, 8st (L. Casson); Inheritor, 8st (W. H. Smith); Turpentine, 8st (J. Knox); Festine, 8st (F. Hickey); Felicia, 8st (W. M'Laughlin); Hesper, 8st (A. Houseman).
Betting: 2 to 1 v St. Patrick, 5 to 1 v Miss Rosebery, 6 to 1 v Sir Leonard, 7 to 1 each v Felicia and Festine, 10 to 1 v Sarto, 15 to 1 v others.

Festine and St. Patrick moved off in advance, while Percival was the last to get going, but after passing the five furlongs' post Protector came through and led past the half-mile post, with Felicia, Inheritor, and Lady Florence in attendance, and St. Patrick and Famous at the head of the others, and Percival still last. Protector came round the bend and into the straight with Lady Florence, the favourite, and Famous in hot pursuit, but St. Patrick ran up next the leader at the distance, whence an exciting battle was fought out, and the favourite won by a head, while Famous was five lengths away third. Lady Florence was fourth, followed by Inheritor, Miss Rosebery, and Sir Leonard, while Cruiskeen was the last to pass the post. Time, 1m 17½s.

MOONEE VALLEY RACES.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

Notwithstanding the dull cold weather that prevailed, the Moonee Valley meeting to-day attracted a large attendance. The fields were of extraordinary dimensions, and good sport was witnessed. Rattlesnake was a strong favourite for the Hurdle Race, and always in a good position. He won easily from the Tasmanian horse Corinthus, with Deering third. The Trial Handicap resulted in a dead heat between Dora Grey and Kazoo, and the owners agreed to divide the stakes. Bright Beauty was favourite for the Valley Handicap, but she failed to get a place, the winner turning up in Victor. Another outsider prevailed in the Steeplechase. Bombastes and Kent divided favouritism, but the finish lay between Warmur and Officer, and the latter, who is weighted at 9st 3lb in the Grand National Steeplechase, won with lengths to spare. Bombastes ran very badly, and Rearguard pulled up lame. Kent fell opposite the stand, and having broken his back was shot. Merriong was expected to win the June Plate, but he ran one of his worst races. Lady Doris, on the other hand, was in good humour, and won in a canter. In a field of 21, Yarrabee started favourite, and won the June Purse. Details:—

Hurdle Race, 2m.—Mr. O'Dwyer's Rattlesnake, by Brockleigh—Mercury mare, 10st 7lb (P. Guinane), 1; Mr. Wilson's Corinthus, 9st 12lb (J. L. Cox), 2; Mr. Armytage's Deering, 9st 10lb (R. Fennessy), 3. Other starters: Oblivion, 11st 12lb; The Bayonet, 11st 10lb; Nigel, 11st 6lb; Dromedary, 10st 12lb; Sarasati, 10st 9lb; Miss King, 10st 9lb; Matong, 10st 6lb; Sagamore, 9st 7lb; Old Chappie, 9st 12lb; Penalty, 9st 12lb; King Edward, 9st 8lb; Current, 9st 7lb; Canto, 9st 2lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Rattlesnake, 7 to 2 v Oblivion, 5 to 1 v Nigel, 7 to 1 v Canto, 10 to 1 each v The Bayonet and Deering, 12 to 1 v Dromedary, 15 to 1 v Sagamore. Won by six lengths, two lengths between second and third. Old Chappie was fourth, with Sagamore next, and King Edward last. Current and Nigel fell. Time, 3m 49s.

Trial Handicap, 5f.—Mr. Roberts's Kazoo, by Harmonist—Lucy, 9st 4lb (J. Thomas), *; Mr. Anderson's Dora Grey, by Medallion—Nereid, 8st (E. Turner), *; Mr. Stewart's Yarrabee, 8st 10lb (F. Harmen), 3. Other starters: Euterpe, 8st 12lb; Florist, 8st 8lb; Bondsman, 8st 3lb; Whirl, 8st; Handel, 7st 9lb; Goodwood, 7st 8lb; Childers, 7st 7lb; Sweet Marie, 7st 5lb; Idleraway, 7st; Fortitude, 6st 12lb; Jollymont, 6st 12lb; Harrow, 6st 10lb; Silverlight, 6st 10lb; Farnworth, 6st 7lb; Noella, 6st 7lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Bondsman, 4 to 1 each v Dora Grey and Jollymont, 10 to 1 each v Kazoo and Yarrabee. A dead heat for first place. Yarrabee was a length away third, with Jollymont fourth, and Goodwood last. Time, 1m 4½s. The owners of Kazoo and Dora Grey agreed to divide.

Valley Handicap.—Mr. Farquharson's Victor, by Pilgrim's Progress—Geneva, 7st 3lb (E. Donford), 1; Mr. McCracken's Seychelles, 6st 13lb (R. Sutherland), 2; Mr. McNab's Mallinyook, 7st 13lb (W. Minter), 3. Other starters: Bright Beauty, 9st 2lb; Ratafia, 8st 12lb; Tod, 7st 7lb; Gelignite, 7st 7lb; Murska, 7st 2lb; Contra, 6st 12lb; Kabinga, 6st 12lb; Mezzo, 6st 10lb; St. Odille, 6st 9lb; Booya, 6st 7lb; Rivanche, 6st 7lb; Lady Morven, 6st 7lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Bright Beauty, 5 to 1 v Murska, 6 to 1 v Seychelles, 8 to 1 v Mezzo, 10 to 1 each v Ratafia, Mallinyook, and Tod, 12 to 1 v Victor, 15 to 1 v Rivanche. Won by six lengths, two lengths between second and third. Murska was fourth, Bright Beauty next, and Lady Morven last. Time, 2m 12½s.

Steeplechase, 2m.—Mr. Creswick's Officer, by Panic II., 9st (M. P. Curran), 1; Mr. Morgan's Warmur, 9st 2lb, inc 2lb over (W. Hingston), 2; Mr. Anderson's Springfield, 12st 10lb (J. Smith), 3. Other starters: Rearguard, 11st 2lb; Lamond, 10st 9lb; Bombastes, 10st 8lb; Kent, 10st 2lb; Glen Vale, 9st 8lb; Aberfoyle, 9st 6lb; Traverser, 9st 2lb; Baronet, 9st 2lb; Congi, 9st. Betting: 4 to 1 each v Bombastes and Kent, 5 to 1 v Springfield, 7 to 1 v Rearguard, 10 to 1 each v Warmur and Baronet, 12 to 1 v Officer. Won by five lengths, a bad third. Baronet was fourth, and Aberfoyle last. Kent fell. Time, 4m 3½s.

June Plate, 6½f.—Mr. Williams' Lady Doris, by Positano—Valence, 6st 8lb (W. Bennett), 1; Mrs. Saunders's Overture, 7st 12lb (Fisher), 2; Messrs. Lynch and Elliott's Zoranya, 7st 12lb (E. Turner), 3. Other starters: Merriong, 8st 5lb; Portland Bob, 7st 9lb; Illumination, 7st 9lb; Precocious, 7st 6lb; Blix, 7st 5lb; Strathleen, 7st 4lb; Pendower, 7st 3lb; Sweet Bird, 6st 10lb; Pretty Nell, 6st 8lb; Gozotina, 6st 8lb. Betting: 5 to 2 v Merriong, 4 to 1 each v Portland Bob and Zoranya, 8 to 1 v Lady Doris, 10 to 1 each v Blix and Overture. Won by six lengths, three-quarters of a length between second and third. Pretty Nell was fourth and Precocious last. Portland Bob fell. Time, 1m 22½s.

June Purse, 6½f.—Mr. Stewart's Yarrabee, by Levite—Minerva, 8st 3lb (R. M'Neilage), 1; Mr. Stanley's Sunix, 8st 1lb, inc. 1lb over (G. Wheeler), 2; Mr. Lee's Musket Belle, 7st 7lb (J. Accola), 3. Other starters: Thurydides, 8st 12lb; Mellord, 8st 10lb; Vim, 8st 7lb; Albolith, 8st 5lb; Admiral Rous, 8st 3lb; Miss Rae, 8st 2lb; Grace, 8st 2lb; Rock Crystal, 8st 2lb; Tara's Hall, 8st; Gnarkeet, 8st; Presto, 7st 12lb; Piranbeen, 7st 10lb; Jollymont, 7st 9lb; Joan, 7st 7lb; Apex, 7st 3lb; Divine, 7st 2lb; Glenkey, 6st 10lb; Lion, 6st 9lb; Devoneffie, 6st 7lb; Farnworth, 6st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 1 v Yarrabee, 6 to 1 each v Albolith and Miss Rae, 8 to 1 each v Farnworth and Jollymont, 10 to 1 each v Grace and Tara's Hall, 12 to 1 each v Gnarkeet and Sapir. Won by five lengths, half a length between second and third. Tara's Hall was fourth, and Devoneffie last. Time, 2m 25½s.

CHARTERS TOWERS JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING.

BRISBANE, Friday.

The annual meeting of the Towers Jockey Club commenced to-day. The weather was beautifully fine, and the attendance was very large. Over £2000 passed through the totalisator, and the racing throughout was interesting. Results:—

Trial Stakes, 7f.—Tenny, by Medjidie, 1; Imperial, 2; Pelee, 3. Three others ran. Won by a head. Time, 1m 33 3-5s. Dividend, 15s. Tenny was an odds-on favourite.

Flying Handicap, 6f.—His Lordship, by Nobleman—Beatrix, 8st 5lb, 1; Lurline, 7st, 2; The Jester, 9st 8lb, 3. Five others ran. Betting: 5 to 4 on The Jester, 5 to 1 v His Lordship, 5 to 1 v Lurline, 10 to 1 v others. Won easily. Time, 1m 18s. Dividends, place tote, £1 9s and 4s.

Towers Jockey Club Handicap, 1¼m.—Poobah, by Bloodshot—Lady Sneerwell, 9st 3lb, 1; Romany Rye, 7st 8lb, 2; Result, 7st 7lb, 3. Other starters: Tenny, M'Alister, Lord Correll. Betting: 6 to 4 on Poobah, 5 to 1 each v Result and Correll, 8 to 1 v Romany Rye, 10 to 1 v others. Won by a nose after a magnificent finish, Result being three lengths off third. Time, 2m 40 2-5s. Dividend, 18s.

Novice Handicap.—Alpha, by North Australian, 1; Pelee, 2; Royal Maid, 3. Five others started. Alpha led from start to finish. Dividend, £1 4s and 7s.

Northern Districts Handicap.—Clifton, by Chorister—Lady Clifford, 1; Quenton, 2; Result, 3. Two others started. Won easily. Time, 1m 19½s. Dividend, £1 1s.

High-weight.—Lurline, 1; Waintai, 2; Sly Boots, 3. Five others ran. A good race. Dividend, 11s and 8s. Time, 1m 5s.

Miners' Purse.—Garcon, 1; His Lordship, 2; Norseman, 3. Three others ran. Betting: 6 to 4 on His Lordship, 3 to 1 v Frank, 6 to 1 v Werenga, 8 to 1 v others. Won by a head. Dividend, £6 3s.

BRISBANE JOCKEY CLUB.

BRISBANE, Saturday.

The Brisbane Jockey Club's races were held in fine weather to-day, and there was a good attendance. Result of the principal event:—

Park Handicap, 1m.—Best Man, by King Olaf—Toolooma, 7st 7lb (Stone), 1; Chaperon, 8st 13lb (Ruttley), 2; Yellow Aster, 7st 7lb (James Rogers), 3. Other starters: The Crisis, Kinbombi, Lifebelt, Escamillo, Our Jack, Marine. Betting: 2 to 1 v Chaperon, 4 to 1 v Best Man, 5 to 1 v Our Jack, 7 to 1 each v Marine and Yellow Aster, 10 to 1 v others. Won by four lengths, half a length between second and third. Time, 1m 47½s. Dividend, 25s 6d.

POLO.

SYDNEY v NARROMINE.

A GOOD MATCH.

WON BY NARROMINE, 6 GOALS TO 5.

The above match was played at Kensington Recreation Ground on Saturday afternoon, and the result was a win for the countrymen by 6 goals 9 behinds to 5 goals 10 behinds. The weather was perfect; the attendance was good, many ladies being present. The play was most interesting throughout, and there were many brilliant incidents. The teams were:—

Sydney.—Messrs. T. Watson (captain), back, A. G. Dodds, B. H. Richards, and C. C. Stephen.

Narromine.—G. Mack (captain), back, C. Mack, B. Stevenson, and L. Webb.

Umpires, Messrs. Brock and W. G. Dodds.

Stevenson was the first to get going from the throw-in, and with a couple of good strokes he reached the vicinity of the home goal. In the course of a scrimmage Webb's pony went lame, and play was suspended for a few minutes while he changed his mount. Dodds and Richards saved, and in the centre Watson twice got in substantial backhanders. Webb carried round the wing, but the ball was soon returned by more backhanders, by Watson, succeeded by strokes by Dodds and Richards, the latter leaving the ball in good position, but only a behind resulted. The hit out was followed by a goal by Stephen, and the bell sounded for the end of the first period, with the score: Sydney, 1 goal 1 behind to nil.

On resuming, Narromine laid the scene in the vicinity of the Sydney goal, Stevenson and Webb being prominent in the play leading up thereto, though Stevenson missed the easiest of chances, and Watson following him up, saved. Presently G. Mack scored a goal, and made the scores equal. Narromine were now showing the better form, although on changing Sydney, per medium of Richards, made the scores 2-1 in favour of Sydney. Inside of a minute Narromine were in again. Watson missed his stroke in defence, and Webb scored, and the score at the end of the second period was 2 all. On resuming Dodds came with a capital gallop, and was assisted by Watson and Richards, and the last mentioned, with an excellent backhander, left the position easy for Stephen, who closed some fine play with a goal. Sydney, 3-2. C. Mack was mainly instrumental in relieving a Sydney pressure, and with Webb, galloped the length of the ground, and closed with a goal by Stevenson, 3-3. Then Stephen and Richards shone in a brilliant rush, and a behind resulted. Half-time and out of bounds put an end to some very fine play by Watson. Scores: Sydney, 3 goals 4 behinds; Narromine, 3 goals 5 behinds.

For sometime on resuming Narromine were defending their goal, and for five minutes the scene was laid in the vicinity thereof, and the only result was a behind by Dodds. Then the visitors gradually drove the Sydney quartette back until, for the first time this period, they got to the Sydney quarters, and a goal by Webb at once resulted. Narromine, 4-3. For some time Sydney were without the services of Richards, who lost his stick in the last few minutes of the fourth quarter, and during this time Narromine obtained their fifth goal, Webb again doing the damage. This goal was registered some time after the bell had sounded. The game at the fourth period was 5-3 in favour of Narromine. The fifth quarter had not been opened more than two minutes before C. Mack scored the visitors sixth goal. A capital run by Stephen, followed up by Richards, wound up with a long hit by the latter, but the ball struck the leg of a Narromine pony, the goal was saved, and the scene was transferred to the other end. Richards, however, came again, and this time he met with more success, reducing the visitors' lead to 6-4. In play again a capital gallop closed with a goal by Stephen just on the bell, leaving the scores, Narromine 6 to 5.

There was much excitement when the last term opened. A brilliant run by Webb would have ended seriously for Sydney, but for the pace of Richard's pony, Webb being ridden off. Then a Sydney rush was spoiled by Stephen's off-side, and Sydney had to hit off from behind their line. A brilliant succession of strokes by Richards was splendidly blocked by G. Mack, and the scene was changed to the centre. The play was fast, and the excitement at a high pitch in the closing scenes. The full-time bell sounded on a victory for Narromine, after an excellent game, by 6 goals 9 behinds to 5 goals 10 behinds.

The next match will be played to-morrow at Kensington, beginning at 2.45. Particulars are advertised.

GOLF.

Competitions played on Saturday resulted as follows:—

HAMPDEN CUP.

	Rose Bay. Two Previous Rounds.	Kensington. Morning	Kensington. Afternoon	Total.
E. P. Simpson	1 up	4 down	Square	3 down
C. L. Mackenzie	7 down	Square	5 down	12 down
A. O. Gilles	12 down	2 down	Square	14 down
B. Macneil	7 down	5 down	4 down	16 down

AUSTRALIAN G.C.
ASSOCIATE MEMBERS.
Monthly Medals.
A Grade.

Mrs. Thiel	94—14—80
Miss Murray	94—12—82
Miss Lethbridge	92—3—89
Mrs. Braddon	98—6—92
Miss C. Trevor Jones	97—4—93
Mrs. L. Owen	101—8—93
Miss Mansfield	111—18—93
Miss Cooke	104—10—94
Mrs. Allan	113—18—95
Miss Trevor Jones	96, scr, 96
Miss Egan	103—6—97
Miss Robertson	115—18—97
Mrs. Aitken	99, scr, 99

The union silver medal was won by Miss Murray—94—18—76.

B. Grade.

Mrs. Furber	110—10—100
Miss Morey	125—15—110
Miss Kiss	20—9—111

KILLARA G.C.
"A" Grade.

G. B. Owen	88—7—81
W. C. Penfold	97—13—81
E. W. Bates	89—4—85
H. Y. Braddon	93—5—88

"B" Grade.

R. T. Brewster	101—17—84
W. Brockes	107—18—89

Club Championship Final (36 holes).
E. L. Apperley beat G. Balcombe, 5 up and 3 to play.

PARRAMATTA G.C.
The Championship.—First Round.
Dr. Bowman beat W. J. Morey, 5 up.
H. M. Hamilton beat Dr. W. S. Brown, 3 up.
F. W. Todhunter beat N. J. Berckleman, 3 up.
A. I. Oakes beat H. B. Cowper, 4 up.

CONCORD G.C.
Stroke Competition.—Monthly Medal.

T. Frizell, jun.	99—24—75
Dr. Magnus	93—5—88
Dr. A. E. Mills	99—10—89
R. A. Gilfillan	99—9—90
C. A. Fraser	99—8—91

The Nixon Cup.
In the play-off E. M. De Burgh beat A. Orr, 2 up. Mr. De Burgh holds the cup for 12 months.

HUNTER'S HILL G.C.
Championship Semi-final.
F. J. Blaxland beat N. F. Christoe, 4 up and 2 to play.
The Mackenzie-Lysaght match has not yet been decided.
In the play for Mr. Robert Smith's trophy (second prize), C. H. Pearson beat R. C. Lethbridge, 10 up and 9 to play.
F. A. A. Russell beat R. Ranken, 1 up.

Monthly Medal Match.

G. Thorne	87—9—78
R. Ranken	89—10—79
G. W. Phillips	92—12—80
G. Dampney	112—30—82
C. H. Pearson	87—4—83
F. Allan	96—12—84
R. J. A. Roberts	96—11—85
H. D. Walsh	105—20—85

STRATHFIELD G.C.
Medal—Stroke Competition.

J. E. Docker	93—14—79
K. I. Lore	91—11—80
F. H. Pepper	92—12—80
J. Nettleton	94—12—82
— Roberts	96—14—82
F. D. Layton	87—5—82
Dr. Littlejohn	89—5—84

MARRICKVILLE G.C.
Monthly Medal.

S. Smith	88—15—73
Dr. J. P. Hill	96—19—77
F. A. Thorpe	90—11—79
E. W. Drake	91—12—79
J. M'Carthy	96—15—81
T. Cearns	107—24—83
H. B. M'Lelland	98—14—84

DOBROYDE G.C.
Club Championship.
The following have qualified:—

H. Moses, 93.	A. Mortimer, 101.
K. Harrison, 94.	G. B. Robertson, 101.
R. C. Monday, 95.	C. Allen, 102.
G. B. Thomas, 95.	C. Nelson, 103.
D. Mackellar, 97.	C. J. M'Donell, 103.
F. M'Leod, 100.	

GOLF AT NEWCASTLE.

NEWCASTLE, Saturday.

A bogey competition, played on the Newcastle Golf Links this afternoon, resulted as follows:—A. A. Rankin (handicap 9), 2 down; A. A. Burke (handicap 14), 2 down; S. R. Hooper (scratch), 3 down; E. A. Merewether (handicap 9), 4 down; O. B. Scott (handicap 2), 4 down.

LACROSSE.

MOSMAN v BALMAIN.

Played at Birchgrove Park, and won by Balmain by 3 goals to 2. The game was very evenly contested from the first face-off, Mosman having the advantage, but not being able to score. The Balmain centre, P. Loutit, secured from C. Booth, and sent to his attacks, who were closely marked, and the ball was sent to mid-field, where U. Loutit secured and scored. Soon after Stillman obtained, but missed, and Davis securing equalised the scores. From the face-off Mosman again tried hard, but could not register. Balmain then took a hand, and, after some very good combined play, O. Loutit secured and scored. Balmain, 2 to 1. Good play was here shown by the Mosman defence, R. Lane being conspicuous, but no further score was registered up to half-time.

From the half-time face-off Balmain made strenuous efforts to increase their lead, and eventually P. Loutit scored from a "beauty." Fast and exciting play followed, but neither side gained any advantage until Robjohns added a second goal for the visitors. The game ended in Balmain winning by 3 goals to 2. Mr. W. Sargent was referee.

PETERSHAM v BALMAIN NO. 1.

Petersham defeated Balmain No. 1 at Petersham by 4 goals to 1, after an even and well-contested game. The play was fast and brilliant from the initial face-off, Cowley and Campbell being opposite one another for it. Both sides exhibited passing of a high order, especially in the first three-quarters. Balmain tired in the last quarter, and some of the men strayed away from opponents they should have marked, with the result that the Petersham combination developed like a good game of chess. Macpherson scored the only goal for Balmain after some smart running and passing by Borradale and Harrold. Mathews in goal was called upon to stop shot after shot by the Petersham men, and played well, but was not adequately supported. Sampson for Petersham defended the net brilliantly. Forsyth 2, Morgan 1, and Smith scored goals for the winners, the credit for some of these being shared by Cowley and Farebrother. Fitzhardinge and Lewis were not quite up to their best form, although trying hard all the afternoon. Keys and Morgan assisted towards the Petersham victory. Close attention was paid to the game by a large number of spectators, who are now able to understand the finer points of lacrosse. Mr. A. Dickson was the umpire.

BURWOOD v MARRICKVILLE.

The game put up by these teams on St. Luke's Park was one of the best witnessed this season. The players appeared to be well trained, and to have devoted some consideration to the finer points of lacrosse, with the result that as a spectacle the contest was decidedly enjoyable. The work with the ball in the air was at times brilliant, and the teams being evenly matched there was only one goal scored in the first half. Hunt shot the first for Burwood. The attacking men on Burwood side repeatedly stormed the opposition goal, and Lansdown, a deaf and dumb player of considerable activity, had to do some quick saving. In the third quarter Burwood's continued battery was successful, and five more goals were credited to them, while Marrickville sent the ball past Todd twice into the Burwood net. The last quarter was a capital one, the players' pace and condition being most commendable. Burwood secured four more goals, and Marrickville two. Wilkinson (2) and Jackson (2) were the scorers for Marrickville, the latter using his body well and attacking consistently. On the side of the winners C. Gurnett played one of his best games, netting three goals. V. Gurnett (2), Newman, a newcomer from South Australia (1), J. Southwick (1), and Hunt (1) were the other goal-shooters for the winners, whose combination was first-class. Whisker, Bromley, Southwick, and A. Farebrother participated ably in the combined work. Anderson, Wilkinson, and Jackson were the pick of the losers. Burwood won by 9 goals to 4. Mr. H. Stephens was the umpire.

FOOTBALL.

N.S.W. v QUEENSLAND.

VISITORS AGAIN VICTORIOUS.

BY 8 POINTS TO 6.

BRISBANE, Saturday.

The return Rugby match, New South Wales v Queensland, to-day, was favoured with glorious weather. There were upwards of 7000 present. The following were the teams:—

New South Wales.—C. Hedley, full-back; S. Wickham, C. Russell, H. Messenger, and V. S. Futter, three-quarters; F. Mandible and W. F. Matthews, halves; A. Burden, H. A. Judd, T. J. Barnett, W. W. Hill, P. Burge, H. M. Moran, B. I. Swannell, K. Gavin, forwards.

Queensland.—P. Carmichael, full-back; D. J. M'Lean, G. L. Watson, E. Christensen, and R. Brown, three-quarters; F. Hearn and M. J. Dore, halves; R. Lucas, J. Fihely, P. Flanigan, A. Jansen, G. Gutteridge, V. Oxenham, A. Oxlade, and S. Scott, forwards.

Mr. E. Dixon was referee.

Both teams were heartily welcomed on appearing on the ground. Dore won the toss for Queensland, and selected the western end, where he had the advantage of a breeze. New South Welshmen were penalised shortly after commencing. Wickham was nearly in from a scrum. Then, from a further penalty, Carmichael transferred the scene to neutral territory, where his side was penalised. Messenger kicked unsuccessfully at goal, the ball was sent back smartly, and Carmichael marked, but kicked badly, and New South Wales saved. From a scrum Dore was off-side, and Mandible used the line beautifully. Oxlade marked, and Carmichael kicked into neutral territory. The Queenslanders at this stage were playing a splendid game, both in the scrum and in the open.

The New South Welshmen utilised their height to advantage in the line-out and invariably gained possession. For a knock-on a scrum was ordered, and Hedley securing put in a grand run, but was caught amidst applause. Messenger was playing a good game and was screw punting splendidly. Dore relieved for Queensland on two dangerous occasions, and New South Wales were nearly in as the result of smart passing by Mandible and Futter. Christensen kicked across his goal, Watson saving the situation. Messenger showed his pace and kicked to Christensen, who returned to Wickham, who knocked on. New South Welshmen shortly after marked and transferred play to Queensland's 25. Christensen put in some fine play. From the scrum the New South Wales backs got going, the ball being passed quickly until Russell secured and ran into the ruck, Watson saving. Messenger took a free awarded against Queensland, and kicked weakly. Then Mandible secured and passed to Judd, who scored near the corner. Messenger kicked unsuccessfully for goal. Scores.—New South Wales, 3; Queensland, nil.

Watson, gathering, dodged with great cleverness, and Wickham stopped a splendid run. Watson was severely criticised by the onlookers for running into the ruck instead of passing out. Queenslanders were now keeping New South Wales on the defensive. Though the latter were leading on points, the game was very even, and was the best seen on the ground for years. Burden, who was playing well, now off-sided, and the penalty kick was followed by a series of scrums, N.S.W. keeping in Queensland's territory. From the loose Matthews passed to Mandible, and scored, and Messenger kicked a goal. New South Wales, 8; Queensland, nil. From a penalty kick half-way, Carmichael kicked over New South Wales' line, the ball bounced, and by the time Messenger secured Jansen was on him, and pulled him down near the corner, and Messenger lost the ball. Gutteridge, a Queensland country representative, secured, and scored, Carmichael kicking badly for goal. Half-time. New South Wales, 8 points; Queensland, 3.

SECOND HALF.

On resuming, New South Wales forwards opened with a strong rush into Queensland's territory, but M'Lean caught and kicked out of touch. The Queenslanders then attacked, and Hedley was placed in difficulties, and after a while Watson tried to dodge, but was tackled; then Christensen secured, and gave the ball to Gutteridge, who crossed the line, but a scrum was ordered. Queensland were again nearly over, but were penalised, and from neutral territory Moran broke away. Carmichael secured, and Queensland were penalised, and Messenger's kick from half-way just hit the bar. A few minutes later Hedley essayed to drop a goal, but failed. Swannell was here ordered off the field. Moran was playing a splendid game for New South Wales. Wickham made a fine run, but was tackled. Fihely, breaking away, kicked to Hedley, who relieved grandly. Burden broke away, and passed to Moran, to Russell, but New South Wales were penalised for off-side. In Queensland's 25 Mandible passed to Russell, who passed to Messenger, who lost the ball near the corner, and it went out. After the throw-in M'Lean, who appeared to be off-side, kicked down the field, and he and Hedley raced for the ball. Hedley won, and fell on the ball and saved. Presently Dore picked up, and ran in. Carmichael's kick failed to convert the try into a goal. Full time was sounded immediately after, the final score being:—New South Wales, 8 points; Queensland, 6.

The following players have been chosen to represent Queensland in matches against New South Wales in Sydney on July 14 and 21:—

Backs, P. Carmichael, D. M'Lean, E. Parkinson, G. Watson, R. Brown, M. Dore, F. Ahearn, E. Christensen; forwards, A. Oxlade, A. Scott, V. Oxenham, A. Jansen, G. Gutteridge, J. Bell, P. Flanagan, J. Fihelly, R. Lucas, and another to be chosen.

THE LOCAL COMPETITIONS.

RUGBY.

GLEBE NOW LEADING.

THEY DEFEAT EASTERN SUBURBS, 9 TO 5.

The results of Saturday's matches were:—
Glebe beat Eastern Suburbs, 9 to 5.
South Sydney beat Western Suburbs, 15 to 3.
University beat North Sydney, 26 to 0.
Newtown drew with Balmain, 3-3.
Sydney beat Manly, 12 to 3.

The most important engagement on Saturday was that between Glebe and Eastern Suburbs. These clubs were prior thereto running a dead heat for the premiership, and Saturday's contest was looked upon in a measure as a "decider." The attendance was the largest that has attended a one-match attraction this year, the crowd reaching close on 16 000. The result of the engagement places Glebe at the top of the competition list, with 15 points, and then come three at 13, Eastern Suburbs, University, and Newtown, while the premiers, South Sydney, stand at 12, and Sydney at 11. It is many years, if ever, since the competition, when so far advanced, presented as even an appearance as this year's.

The piece-de-resistance of the afternoon, Eastern Suburbs v Glebe, was keenly contested all through, victory resting with Glebe, by 9 points to 5. It was generally voted a good match, and there was very little to choose between the sides. The Glebe forwards, in scrum, were the cleverer at heeling, and this opened the game in their favour. Both teams had men away engaged in the interstate match at Brisbane still the absence of Messenger from the Eastern Suburbs fifteen was more severely felt than any single loss experienced by Glebe. A couple of features of the game were the try and goal obtained by Australian Eleven cricketer Cotter, and the beautiful succession of passes which closed with a try by Scott, the latter being undoubtedly the best item of the match. The side that gained the victory played the better game.

University caused surprise by defeating North Sydney by 26 points to nil. The match was not, however, as one-sided as the scores would indicate. University had fairly long periods of defence, which North Sydney could not penetrate. When 'Varsity were attacking they met with something to show for their efforts in the way of points. The students are the first to reach three figures for points scored by them.

Newtown and Balmain played a drawn game at three points each. The match was interesting, the excitement of the spectators being maintained at a high pitch throughout the greater part of the contest. South Sydney scored a good win over Western Suburbs by 15 to 3. The defeated team were weakened by having Wickham at Brisbane. At Manly Sydney beat the local club by 12 to 3, in an uninteresting engagement.

THE PREMIERSHIP TABLE.

The following are the positions of the clubs in the first grade competition:—

	Won.	Lost.	Drawn.	Points. For.	Agst.	Comp. Pts.
Glebe	7	1	1	94	37	15
Eastern Suburbs	6	2	1	89	28	13
Newtown	5	1	3	64	32	13
University	6	2	1	112	60	13
South Sydney	5	2	2	87	38	12
Sydney	5	3	1	71	61	11
Western Suburbs	4	4	1	62	58	9
Balmain	3	4	2	35	72	8
North Sydney	3	6	0	40	95	6
St. George	2	5	2	29	67	6
Manly	1	8	0	33	145	2

BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

Saturday's results were:—
Sydney beat Glebe 3 goals to 2.
South Sydney v Balmain, not played.
Rozelle beat Granville, 4-1.
Pyrmont received forfeit from Ultimo.

Pyrmont received a forfeit from Ultimo, and therefore they still hold the position at the head of the competition, now having 17 points to their credit. Balmain are lying second 3 points away, and then come Rozelle with 13 points.

It is always a matter for regret when a side has to forfeit. It is not good sportsmanship, and it spoils the afternoon for the opposing side. Information regarding forfeits generally comes to hand at a time when it is impossible to make other arrangements. This was not the only hitch under the British Association code on Saturday. The fact that Ultimo were forfeiting was not, as a matter of fact, made known until Friday evening, and in order to fill the vacancy caused thereby at the Epping ground the powers that be changed the venue of the Balmain-South Sydney contest set down for St. Peters. Balmain attended at Epping, but South Sydney went to St. Peters, and the referee gave South Sydney the match. Glebe and Sydney met on the Cricket Ground No. 2, and the result was a win for Sydney after an exciting game by 3 goals to 2. At Granville the local club experienced a reverse at the hands of Rozelle by 4 to 1.

FIRST GRADE PREMIERSHIP TABLE.

The positions of clubs in the first grade premiership are:—

	Won.	Lost.	Drawn.	Goals. For.	Agst.	Points.
Pyrmont	8	0	1	31	6	17
Balmain	7	0	0	25	8	14
Rozelle	6	2	1	25	10	13
Glebe	6	3	0	28	17	12
Ultimo	3	6	0	15	18	6
Sydney	3	6	0	15	28	6
Granville	2	7	0	18	37	4
South Sydney	0	9	0	4	47	0

AUSTRALIAN RULES.

REDFERN AND BALMAIN VISIT PENRITH AND FIND GROUND ENGAGED.

Saturday's results were:—
Sydney beat North Sydney 36 to 33.
Newtown beat Paddington 106-13.
East Sydney beat Y.M.C.A., 56-15.
Redfern v Balmain not played.

Misunderstandings took place in the Australian game on Saturday as well as in the British Association. Two teams, Redfern and Balmain, paid a visit to Penrith for the purpose of playing an exhibition game. On arrival at the ground they found a Rugby match proceeding. It was arranged by the Mayor of Penrith that a charge should be made at the gate, and that the proceeds should be handed over to the local hospital. Efforts at compromise were attempted, but nothing could induce the Rugby men in possession to forego any part of their game. There were a large number of visitors accompanying the teams. Redfern and Balmain thus lost their match and the hospital its donation.

A capital match was witnessed at the Sydney Cricket Ground, where Sydney and North Shore meet. As an exhibition of the Australian game it was all that could be desired, and there was an additional point about it in that first one side would get in front and then the other. In the end Sydney won by 36 to 33. Had the scores been reckoned as they are in polo North Shore would have secured a win by 5 goals to 4. Sydney found that little fish in the shape of minor points were sweet.

Newtown easily defeated Paddington, the scores being 106 to 13; and East Sydney scored a success over Y.M.C.A. by 56 to 15.

LEAGUE COMPETITION TABLE.

	Won.	Lost.	For.	Agst.	Points. Comp.
Newtown	8	1	641	214	16
Redfern	7	1	394	296	14
Sydney	7	2	622	247	14
Balmain	5	3	355	270	10
East Sydney	4	5	373	332	8
North Shore	2	7	280	465	4
Y.M.C.A.	1	8	228	448	2
Paddington	1	8	176	766	2

RUGBY MATCHES.

FIRST GRADE.

UNIVERSITY v NORTH SYDNEY.

The above teams met at the Rushcutter Bay Oval in beautiful weather and in the presence of about 100 spectators. After a game free from any rough element University won by 26 points to nil.

University.—Full-back, A. J. Mackenzie; three-quarters, C. W. Roe, A. P. Penman, H. B. Oxenham, A. D. Fisher; halves, J. H. Lane, F. Rorke; forwards, S. D. Walker, N. R. Johnson (captain), R. Harris, Jno. Hughes, J. Hoets, M. M'Keown, J. C. Ross, H. C. Hammond.

North Sydney.—Full-back, W. Whitfield; three-quarters, S. Mannell, A. B. Findlater, O. Merritt, J. M'Inerney; halves, G. O'Neill, G. Gardiner; forwards, C. Doran, J. Abercrombie, A. Coste, D. Lutge, H. Glanville, J. M'Mahon, F. Punch, P. Boland.

Referee, Mr. C. E. Morgan.

North Sydney won the toss, and elected to defend the northern goal. Ross started the ball rolling for University, who were soon attacking, and inside North Sydney's half Penman marked, but M'Kenzie's attempt at goal was a poor one. The University forwards were repeatedly beating their opponents for the ball, and in the loose their dribbling was good. From a scrum on the North Sydney's 25 the 'Varsity backs got going, and looked very dangerous when Penman mulled a pass. University, however, were not to be denied, and from a scrum near the centre Lane secured and kicked high. Hughes followed on, and, picking up at the 25, he passed to Penman, who crossed, and scored behind the posts, and M'Kenzie converted. University, 5 points; North Sydney, nil. From the kick-off the North Sydney forwards started a fine rush. The ball was carried almost to the collegians' goal-line, where Fisher picked up off-side. Glanville, who took the kick, failed at goal, and University forced. North Sydney, however, returned to the charge, and kept charging the 'Varsity goal-line, and would have scored but for the fine marking by the blue-and-gold backs. At length they cleared their line, and at the centre the backs started a splendid rush, in which Rorke, Lane, Penman, Oxenham, and Roe handled the ball. The latter raced hard for the line, but Mannell checked his progress a few yards from the line, the ball going out. The half-time whistle sounded shortly afterwards without any alteration in the score, which was 5 to nil in favour of University.

Glanville kicked off for North Sydney after the interval, and University at once started to attack. At their own 25 Lane passed to Penman to Roe, who sprinted along the touch-line, attended by Oxenham, to whom he passed at his opponents' 25. Oxenham crossed, and scored behind the posts, and Harris converted. From the kick-off North Sydney attacked, and carried the ball well into their opponents' 25, where Lane's kick was blocked, and the ball was kicked over. In a race for the ball a University forward forced. North Sydney, however, came again, and hemmed the blue-and-gold inside their 25, but they could not break through, and 'Varsity at length cleared their line. Lane secured the ball from a scrum at the centre, and sent it on to Penman, who passed to Fisher. The latter put in a fine run, and passed to Oxenham, who scored behind the posts. M'Kenzie missed an easy goal. University now had their opponents beaten. Fisher was the next to score after a neat passing rush, and M'Kenzie added the points. University, 18 points to nil. North Sydney now rallied, and invaded their opponents' 25, where Merritt marked, but Glanville failed at goal. They still continued on the offensive, and from a Syds scrum 'Varsity forced. From the kick out 'Varsity rushed play into North Sydney's 25, and here Walker picked up, and scored behind the posts. Harris failed at goal. Shortly afterwards they were in again, Fisher scoring near the corner. Lane kicked a fine goal. The no-side whistle then sounded, leaving University the victors by 26 points to nil.

EASTERN SUBURBS v GLEBE.

Played at the Sports Ground, and the result was a win for Glebe by 9 points to 5. There were about 15,000 spectators.

The teams were:—

Eastern Suburbs: Full-back, J. D'Alpuget; three-quarters, J. Stuntz, E. Bull, J. Scott, P. Rosenfeld; half-backs, G. Chiene, A. Rosenfeld; forwards, W. Horrigan, M. M'Arthur, L. S. Jones, H. George, S. Pearce, F. Clarke, W. Knight, N. Row.

Glebe: Full-back, C. M'Carthy; three-quarters, A. Cotter, A. R. Conlon, G. Riddell, A. Edwards; half-backs, C. M'Kivat, F. Wood; forwards, T. Griffen, T. O'Neill, A. Veness, C. Ellis, J. Clarken, P. Moir, A. Dobbs, F. Prendergast.

Referee, Mr. W. J. Howe.

Glebe defended the eastern end, and had the sun in their eyes. The game started very fast, with honours about equally divided, Eastern Suburbs having an opening given them to get in a passing rush, but illegal play stopped the effort. They were driven back shortly after, and were obliged to force. Some fast open play followed, Eastern Suburbs forwards getting in a telling rush, which was opportunely stopped by Glebe's full-back. From a line-out from near half-way, Glebe rushed the ball rapidly across the ground. Riddell obtaining, put in a splendid diagonal run, and managed to score near the corner. Ellis took the kick at goal, the attempt being a poor one. Glebe, 3; Eastern Suburbs, nil. Glebe, still attacking, had their opponents penned up a few yards from East's goal, the ball being lost on its way towards the line. Glebe's three-quarter line was giving a lot of trouble. A Glebe player was responsible for the first unpleasant incident, the referee ordering him off the ground for striking another player. This incident happened near Glebe's goal line, where the reds were kept defending for a term. Extricating themselves for a while, Eastern Suburbs, attacking strongly, had them in straits on more than one occasion, Glebe's full-back stopping a possible score. Play was still in the Glebe's territory when the half-time whistle sounded with the score, Glebe, 3; Eastern Suburbs, nil.

Shortly after resuming, Glebe, using the line, were invading, when M'Kivat marked in a good position, but no result followed the attempt. Play was quickly taken across the field, and out of the loose the ball was passed to Cotter, who crossed over, but was recalled. A scrum was then formed near the line, but Eastern Suburbs relieved by kicking out, their full-back doing the saving. Another scrum was formed in front of East's goal posts. Glebe were awarded a penalty. Cotter took the kick, which was a good one, but was intercepted by an opposing forward. Glebe were awarded another free soon after and at about the same spot. Riddell's kick hit the post, and a lively struggle took place in front of the goal-line, Eastern Suburbs relieving by kicking out. Another rush by the reds with the ball at their toes then took place, D'Alpuget succeeded, however, in smothering it. During the course of a scrum close to Eastern Suburbs' line Glebe were awarded a free, and this time Cotter kicked an excellent goal. Glebe, 6; Eastern Suburbs, nil. In Glebe's ground for a spell, repeated attempts being made to break through the defence, but without success. Another mark followed the transference of play to the East's ground, a narrow miss by Cotter resulting. Still another mark by Glebe, but without result. Eastern Suburbs made a glorious rally when in Glebe's territory, and play was exceedingly keen. A roar of excitement rose from the crowd as Clark was seen to struggle over with a Glebe man hanging on to him. It was no try, however. A line out was then formed, when Scott secured and fell over. The crowd cheering themselves hoarse. Scott converted his try. Glebe, 6; Eastern Suburbs, 5. Glebe were forcing matters just a few minutes prior to the whistle, when from a scrum in front of Eastern Suburbs' line Wood picked up, passed to M'Kivat, to Conlon, to Cotter, who scored. Riddell's kick was not successful. Glebe, 9; Eastern Suburbs, 5.

NEWTOWN v BALMAIN.

These teams met on the Erskineville Oval in the presence of about 5000 spectators. The game ended in a draw, 3 points each. The teams were:—

Newtown.—Full-back, A. R. Cobcroft; three-quarters, F. Cheadle, J. Rubie, W. Ogaard, and F. Luscombe; five-eighths, W. Hay; half-back, J. Dickie; forwards, P. Gilroy, T. J. Comber, J. Craig, S. H. Slater, A. Wood, D. Christiansen, A. Tilly, R. Brown.

Balmain.—Full-back, C. Moore; three-quarters, P. Wilcox, G. Barrett, C. Light, and W. Whitting; five-eighths, G. Widmer; half-back, T. O'Donnell; forwards, F. Ballerum, E. Coleman, E. Mullett, R. R. Craig, G. Riley, H. Baulkwell, R. Graves, and A. Walker.

Mr. E. Hooper, referee.

Newtown won the toss, and Balmain kicked off against the sun. The game was fast and open in its early stages, and there was some capital tackling, but the catching was faulty on Balmain side. The Balmain pack proved very fast, but Newtown's defence was responsive, and the ball went from end to end of the ground quickly. The first to show prominently was Comber, who dribbled to near the Balmain line, and then lost the ball out of bounds. A vigorous rush by Newtown should have produced a score, but a forward kicked the ball too hard over the fence behind the Balmain line, and a force relieved Balmain. Craig punted from a force back out of bounds in his own quarters, and his side had to force again. Some Balmain supporters made themselves objectionable by yelling to the Balmain players to kick the men opposed to them at this stage. Baulkwell, Mullett, and Graves were conspicuous for Balmain in the pack work, and their comrades in the forward ranks were cleverer than Newtown in the scrums. Hay, Hamill, and Ogaard were the best on the Newtown side. Play was confined to the Balmain half of the ground for a long time. Then Baulkwell led the way to the other end, and Cobcroft got Newtown penalised for hanging on. Light marked near half-way, and Whitting had a shot at goal, but the ball fell short, and Hay found the line. Cheadle beat Barrett and Moore in a dodgy run, but passing to Rubie the latter knocked-on. Newtown were having the better of the game at this stage, but Balmain got out of some tight corners, and at times took the ball, amid roars of applause, to the opposite end. Mullett, Craig, and O'Donnell showed prominently in one of these rushes. No score had been registered on either side at half-time, although the game had been capitally played, and was free from unpleasant incidents.

In the second half Whitting ran out to half-way and found the line. Slater headed a rush to the Balmain line, and diving for the ball, just touched it, and sent it dead. Both sides were putting forth all their energies. Suddenly Ogaard shot out with the ball, having only Moore to pass. Moore staggered, but did not stop him, and Newtown, following well, Comber darted across, after Hay had kicked over the line, and scored a try. Hay's kick was wide of the mark. Newtown, 3; Balmain, nil. Christiansen followed up well for Newtown, but Light saved with a good kick. Balmain developed a great open attack, but the defence was alert. The referee had to caution a couple of players for unnecessarily rough tackling. Wilcox made a great run along the wing, but was well stopped by Cobcroft. The ball hovered for a long time near the Newtown line, both sides fighting for every inch of the ground. A free to Newtown gave the defenders relief. Continuing the pressure, Balmain kept the ball in Newtown territory, and there was a stoppage on account of an injury to Craig, of Newtown. A change in the disposition of the Newtown forwards was made. Rubie took the ball off side, and Whitting piloted the ball over the bar for Balmain. Three all. Ogaard tackled Moore, after he had parted with the ball, and held him down to prevent his following up his kick. Excitement ran high from this point. Balmain had the better of the game, but Comber was a host in himself for Newtown. Cobcroft ran the ball out instead of forcing, but Balmain again stormed the line, and Newtown forced. The game had been exceptionally fast, and there were bellows to mend on each side. Charge after charge by Balmain was repulsed. Just near the end of the game a Balmain man was ordered off, and Light took his place, but play only continued for two minutes more, and no further scoring was done. The game ended in a draw, 3 points each.

SOUTH SYDNEY v WESTERN SUBURBS.

These teams met on the University Oval in the presence of about 5880 spectators. South Sydney won by 15 points to 3. Teams:—

Western Suburbs.—Full-back, A. Patterson; three-quarters, G. Adams, H. Prentice, W. Catt, and H. Keen; half-backs, W. C. Prentice and Ward Prentice; forwards, S. Catt, Foord, T. Forsyth, M. Westwood, S. Barnby, D. O'Callaghan, J. Stack, and W. Hanly.

South Sydney.—Full-back, A. Patterson; three-quarters, W. J. Burleigh, D. Douglass, A. J. M'Cabe, and E. Fry; half-backs, H. G. Hawken and J. M'Mahon; forwards, F. Glenn, A. Humphries, W. Moss, A. Burge, W. Glover, M. Coxon, F. Connelly, and A. S. Hennessey.

Referee, Mr. N. B. Martin.

South Sydney kicked off, having very little wind to contend with. From a throw-in at South Sydney 25 Western Suburbs secured, and a pretty piece of passing play, in which W. C. and Ward Prentice, Adams, and Foord took a hand, ended in the full-back upsetting Foord, and the ball going out of bounds. Play then went to the other end, and South Sydney were twice on the goal-line, but a force resulted on each occasion. A free to South Sydney at their opponents' 25 sent the ball to the corner, and for some time it looked as if South Sydney must score, but by determined opposition neutral territory was again reached, and the ball remained there for some time. From loose play near the centre Ward Prentice intercepted a pass, and set out for the goal-line. He reached to within a few yards of the corner, and passed out to one of the three-quarters. The ball was lost, but the Western Suburbs forwards got it again, and Adams took it across to the opposite corner, and there from the scrum O'Callaghan scored a try. Foord failed to add the goal points. Western Suburbs, 3 to nil. South Sydney now missed several opportunities to score through defective passes. Then there was an interchange of kicks by the backs in Western Suburbs territory, from which South Sydney started out. Hawken had the ball, and he gave it to M'Cabe, who, after a hard and difficult run, transferred to Fry, who scored in the corner. Burleigh added the goal points. The ball hit the bar, and fell over. South Sydney, 5; Western Suburbs, 3. Play became fast and open, but half-time was sounded without the score being altered.

Upon resuming after the spell, South Sydney came down the field with the ball at their toe at a great pace, but one of their number was off-side, and this enabled Western Suburbs to return to centre. South Sydney, however, continued the attack, but Western Suburbs saved well. The ball was in front of the Western Suburbs goal-posts, when J. M'Mahon took a pass from Burleigh and potted a goal. South Sydney, 9; Western Suburbs, 3. Very fast play followed in neutral territory, South Sydney trying hard to break away, but the defence of Western Suburbs was sound, and play was transferred to the corner at the South Sydney goal-line. It did not, however, remain there long, for West were driven back to the centre, and South Sydney forwards coming on with the ball at their toe, their opponents were soon defending, and M'Mahon getting possession at the 25, set out for the line. He passed to Burleigh, who reached the corner, and then passed out to M'Cabe, who scored. Burleigh failed to convert. South Sydney, 12 to 3. South Sydney continued the attack, and one of the three-quarters punted down the field. Ward Prentice marked, and kicked to the centre. South Sydney were then called upon to defend, but Hawthorne by a long kick sent the ball out of danger. South Sydney resumed the attack, and M'Mahon passing to Fry, the latter scored in a good position, but Burleigh failed at goal. South Sydney, 15 to 3. Full time.

SYDNEY v MANLY.

Played on Manly Oval, and won by Sydney by 12 points to 3. Teams:—

Manly.—A. Morton, full-back; J. Randall, A. Morris, D. Ogilvy, F. O'Grady, three-quarters; A. M'Cubbin, M. M'Donald, halves; A. Buckley, J. Bedwell, E. Kirke, C. Woods, A. Rosenthall, F. Notting, G. Joanstone, H. G. M'Lean, forwards.

Sydney.—J. Backhouse, full-back; C. F. C. Warton, G. F. Baker, F. A. Midlane, and L. W. Seaborn, three-quarters; D. Brown and R. L. Baker, halves; E. O'Sullivan, J. Gardiner, J. Mortimer, F. M'Gee, H. Flegg, J. Dick, W. Walsh, and C. Salmon, forwards.

Sydney won the toss and kicked off, but a forward was off-side and a scrum was ordered. The Manly forwards attacked strongly, and kept the play in the vicinity of Sydney's territory for a time. Play was transferred to Manly's quarters, and a penalty kick gave Sydney a chance, but Warton failed at goal. Manly appeared to be in difficulties for a time, but Morton saved on several occasions. A penalty kick was given against Manly, and Backhouse made no mistake. Sydney, 3 to nil. Randall kicked off, and found the line well within Sydney's territory, and play hovered in the vicinity of the visitors' 25. From a throw-in Baker secured and passed to Midlane, to G. F. Baker, to Seaborn, to Warton, who threw forward on the line and the chance was lost. Play continued near Manly's goal for a time, but a force saved the local team. The Sydney forwards again strongly attacked, their weight telling in the scrums particularly, and from a pass Seaborn got over. Sydney, 6 to nil. Manly assumed the aggressive, and should have scored on two occasions, but luck was against them, Rosenthall and Bedwell getting very close, but they were sent out near the line. Mortimer and Flegg broke away with the ball from the throw in, but a penalty kick saved Manly. The ball was well returned and a series of scrums resulted, shortly after which O'Sullivan scored. Sydney, 9; Manly, nil. Half-time.

In the second half the superiority of the Sydney forwards repeatedly broke down the defence of their opponents, but the backs were equal to the occasion, and saved well. A penalty kick was given against Manly, and Warton taking the kick was successful. Sydney, 12 to nil. Manly now took charge and attacked with vim, but the defence was too good, and their efforts were fruitless. The Sydney forwards were playing a solid and hard game, and looked like scoring on two occasions, but forward passes spoiled their chances. Manly attacked, and Rosenthall got to Sydney's line, but the pass was missed and the ball went out. For a breach of the rules Manly obtained a kick within Sydney's 25, and Randall with a beautiful effort kicked a goal. Sydney, 12 to 3. Manly again attacked, and Sydney just saved on the call of time. The final scores were:—Sydney, 12; Manly, 3. Mr. C. B. Cochrane was referee.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

SYDNEY v GLEBE.

Played on the Sydney Cricket Ground (No. 2) before a fair attendance. A very even game resulted in Sydney winning by 3 goals to 2. The latter are a much improved team, as is evidenced by the fact that they have won their last three engagements. Teams:—

Glebe.—Hooke, goal; Law and Christie, backs; Keith, Hender, and Moore, halves; Nesbitt, Christie, E. Moore, Sherringham, and Bennett, forwards.

Sydney.—Doyle, goal; Hotson and Harvison, backs; Kitt, Carson, and Slocock, halves; Holford, Metcalfe, Collier, Cutlas, and Medcalfe, forwards.

Referee, Mr. R. Myles.

From the kick off Sydney pressed, Hooke being called upon to save twice within the first five minutes. Glebe then introduced a little dash into their play, and transferred to Sydney territory, Doyle being forced to handle the ball, but saving on each occasion. Play was uninteresting for some time, although some long shots by the Glebe forwards kept the Sydney backs always on the alert. Sydney then commenced a passing rush, and a mistake by Christie let in Collier, who sent in a hard shot. Hooke was very lucky in saving. Sydney forwards again pressed, Medcalfe, Holford, Cutlas, and Collier participating. Holford was the last to put the finishing touch to some very neat passing, and he beat Hooke with a beautifully straight shot. Sydney continued to have the better of matters for some time, the passing being very clean, and puzzling to the Glebe halves. Glebe eventually came away, and from a free kick against Sydney Bennett (who was but a few yards from goal) secured, and had no difficulty in equalising the scores. From this to the interval play was of a give-and-take character.

On resuming Glebe pressed, and obtained a corner, but nothing accrued. Collier, for Sydney, then had a shot, but it went wide. He was again conspicuous a few minutes later, beating several opponents, and finishing up by striking the crossbar. Sydney's right wing then took a hand, and Hotson scored, placing his side in the lead. Realising that no time was to be lost, Glebe tried hard to score, securing two corner kicks in as many minutes. From the last Doyle only partially cleared, and before he could recover Nesbitt had equalised. Play became exciting, both teams trying hard. Collier (Sydney's centre) was fed consistently by his forwards, and after several attempts these tactics proved successful, and he scored a magnificent goal, the ball going through with terrific force. There was no further score, Sydney running out winners by 3 goals to 2.

GRANVILLE v ROZELLE.

These teams met in their first grade fixture on Saturday afternoon on the Granville ground, the game resulting in a win for Rozelle by 4 goals to one. The teams were:—

Granville.—Goal, Horwood; backs, M'Gregor and C. Baker; half-backs, Vasella, Peaty, and Dunn; forwards, Gannon, M'Deed, Thompson, Brickley, and Williford.

Rozelle.—Goal, Storey; backs, A. Verney, J. Harrigan; half-backs, H. Byers, W. Thorpe, and D. Hannan; forwards, Aitken, G. Smart, Ratgen, Arch. Chambers, and Andy Chambers.

From the kick-off play was fairly even for a time, Rozelle then assailed, but Peaty and Vasella saved well. Then Granville went close to scoring on two or three occasions, but the ball went high. Finally Rozelle drew first blood by the aid of Ratgen. After the kick-off Granville again went close to scoring on two or three occasions, but the kicking was erratic. Then by some good play on the part of Smart, Chambers, and Ratgen, the last-mentioned was enabled to get in his second goal, making the score Rozelle 2 to nil. Granville's attack was again sound, but Storey stopped some hot shots and saved, and at half-time the scores were unaltered.

When play was resumed some good play on the part of Thorpe worked the ball into Granville territory, and Ratgen took a shot for goal. Horwood ran out and miskicked, and the result was that the ball went through, giving Ratgen his third goal, and making the score 3 to nil in favour of Rozelle. Play had not been going long before Granville again attacked, and the kick by M'Deed struck the bar. Then Thompson made a good attempt, but just failed. Williford centred, and Gannon's kick just went over the bar. Then Brickley took a shot and struck the post. Granville's luck was dead out. Finally Smart added the fourth goal for Rozelle. Granville again pressed, and this time fortune favoured them, Brickley shooting a goal, making the scores Rozelle 4, Granville 1. From this out Granville had the better of the game, but no further score resulted.

AUSTRALIAN RULES.

NEWTOWN v PADDINGTON.

These teams met on Moore Park, and the match resulted in a win for Newtown by 106 points to 13. The game was onesided throughout, and the play was not up to the usual standard, owing to some of the prominent players of both sides being absent. Newtown kept the ball in Paddington's territory the greater part of the first quarter, at the end of which the scores were:—Newtown, 3 goals 4 behinds (22 points); Paddington, nil. From the bounce in the second quarter Newtown put in some fine play, and by half-time had increased their score to 6 goals 11 behinds, while the extent to which Paddington had succeeded was shown in the fact that 1 goal 1 behind was the limit of their score.

During the third quarter Paddington were completely outclassed, Newtown showing some clever work in front of their opponents' goal, and kicking 4 goals 1 behind, while Paddington did not succeed in increasing their record. At the start of the last quarter Paddington livened up, and added a goal, but their rally did not last long, and Newtown very soon again had things their own way, and so they remained till the full-time. The final scores were:—Newtown, 15 goals 16 behind (106 points); Paddington, 2 goals 1 behind (13 points).

The goal-kickers for Newtown were Woods (4), R. Dartnell (4), A. Dartnell (2), Phair (2), Fry (2), and Grainger.

Mr. Grayson was central umpire.

SYDNEY v NORTH SYDNEY.

These teams met on the Sydney Cricket Ground, and after a most exciting game, Sydney won by 4 goals 12 behinds (36 points) to 5 goals 3 behinds (33 points). The teams were:—

Sydney.—W. Martin (captain), A. Martin, Errol, Adams, Kenny, Hearne, Deakin, Ziehlke, Arnold, Groves, Latrobe, O'Loughlin, Gunning, Gossip, Blair, Gardiner, and Naylon.

North Shore.—Beadon (captain), Beatson, Spiller, Loel, Kitt, Blundell, Campbell, Herman, Dalton, Masterton, Lewis, Mattheson, Maher, Surgeon, Garvie, Williams, and Corr.

Sydney secured from the bounce, and soon notched a couple of behinds. North Shore then transferred the scene to Sydney's territory, where Corr registered a goal for North Shore. Sydney again charged, but owing to erratic kicking nothing more than a minor point was obtained. The quarter-time scores were:—Sydney, 1 goal 3 behinds (9 points), to North Shore, 1 goal 2 behinds (8 points). Sydney were again attacking, but could not secure major points. Naylon, as full-back for Sydney, rendered excellent service, and he started a movement which closed with a goal by Arnold for Sydney. Play became very fast, and Loel, taking a beautiful mark from Lewis, raised the two flags for North Shore. Loel was playing a very good game, and securing a mark, notched North Shore's third "sixer." This gave North a lead of three points, which they held till half-time. North Shore, 3 goals 3 behinds (21 points); Sydney, 2 goals 6 behinds (18 points).

On resuming, Sydney rallied, and were soon at North Shore's goal, playing hard. Play stayed there for some time, until Hearne, securing from the ruck, notched another goal for Sydney. North Shore rallied a little, and showed Sydney that they were not altogether out of it, for they straightaway invaded Sydney half, and Garvie secured a goal. This quarter there was some brilliant play by both teams. The three-quarter time scores left Sydney in the lead by 9 points. Sydney 4 goals 12 behinds (36 points); North Shore, 4 goals 3 behinds (27 points). The last quarter was evenly contested, the only score being a goal by Campbell for North Shore. The finish was very exciting, and the bell rang for time with Sydney in the lead by 3 points. Sydney, 4 goals 12 behinds (36 points); North Shore, 5 goals 3 behinds (33 points).

The goal-kickers were:—For Sydney: Hearne (2), Arnold (2). For North Shore: Loel (2), Garvie, Corr, and Campbell (1 each).

EAST SYDNEY v Y.M.C.A.

Played at Moore Park, and won by East Sydney by 56 points to 15. Teams:—

East Sydney.—Cozens, Bates, Lipmann, Nolan, F. Leighton, Collins, Fitz, Larsen, Rice, H. Thomas, Bennett, Mead, Welsh, G. Thomas, Maxfield, Robertson.

Y.M.C.A.—Asbury, Smith, Westwood, Saunders, Reynolds, Gordon, M'Donald, Keogh, King, Finney, Cowie, Ogilvie, Kavanagh, Dallas, Christian.

Y.M.C.A. secured from the bounce, but East's soon transferred play to Y.M.C.A.'s quarter, where they scored two behinds. Bates followed this up with a goal, and then succeeded a period of uneventful play until Maxfield secured and potted a "major" for East Sydney. Shortly after this Bates was awarded a free in front of the goal, but his kick was a poor one. East continued to press, and registered a behind, followed by a goal through the agency of Bates before the quarter bell sounded. Scores:—East Sydney 3-4 (22); Y.M.C.A., nil. In play again Y.M.C.A. attacked, and playing with better spirit kept Easts on the defensive most of the quarter. They registered a behind, followed by a goal by Christian (a junior from Stott and Hoare's team). The half-time scores were:—East Sydney (3-5) 23 points; Y.M.C.A. (1-2) 8 points.

In the third quarter Y.M.C.A. secured, but Thomas relieved his side by a splendid run, and after a period of "give-and-take play" G. Thomas notched three goals for East in quick succession. Continuing to attack, Thomas sent it to Leighton, whose kick went wide; but Larsen secured and potted a goal from a difficult angle. Y.M.C.A. now recovered somewhat, and kept their opponents from scoring for a time, the three-quarter bell ringing with the scores:—East Sydney (7-5) 47 points; Y.M.C.A. (1-2) 8 points. Soon after the start of the last quarter Keogh for Y.M.C.A. kicked a goal from a free. East now played up and transferred the game to the other end, scoring three behinds to one by the Y.M.C.A. Just before the bell G. Thomas secured and kicked his fourth goal for the match. The final scores were:—East Sydney, 8 goals 8 behinds (56 points); Y.M.C.A., 2 goals 3 behinds (15 points). The goal-kickers were:—East Sydney: G. Thomas 4, Bates 2, Larsen 1. Y.M.C.A.: Christian and Keogh, 1 each.

Mr. Frew was central umpire.

FIGHT AT A FOOTBALL MATCH.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Just before the Brunswick and Port Melbourne match ended yesterday a fight took place between some of the players. The spectators rushed the ground, and a free fight took place between the supporters of each side. On the police arriving the combatants dispersed.

CYCLING AND MOTORING.

LEAGUE OF WHEELMEN.

FINLAY INTERCLUB PREMIERSHIP.

The heats of the big interclub professional race, known as the Forest Finlay interclub team contest, took place over the Homebush course on Saturday. The event, which attracted six clubs, was held under the rules of the League of Wheelmen. The racing was of a high order. The start and finish of the event took place at Newell's Horse and Jockey Hotel, and the turning point was at Granville. The roads were in excellent condition, and as the wind was light the dust nuisance was not quite so pronounced as usual. The racing was unpaced and therefore slow when compared with the times put up by the amateur riders. In the first heat the three teams to try conclusions belonged to the Australian (the holders), the Britannia, and the Paddington clubs. The men got off to a capital start, and at half-distance Corbett and Head punctured and Sommerville fell. The contest was run very slowly throughout, each rider relying solely on his sprint at the finish. The result was as follow:—

First Heat.

Australian Club	30 points	1
Britannia Club	17 points	2
Paddington Club	7 points	3

The first man home counted 12 points, the second man 11 points, and so on. Mutton won a well-judged race by 10yds. The result of the placings was:—

R. E. Mutton	1
R. P. Kett	2
A. J. Lyon	3

Time, 61m 21s.

Second Heat.

Parramatta Club	31 points	1
Rookwood Club	25 points	2
Wahringa Club	16 points	3

The race was slow until half a mile from home, when a big struggle for positions ensued. Two hundred yards from the finishing point Hagney (of the Wahringa Club) made his effort and won, looking round, by 2yds. Mumford (Parramatta) was second, and P. C. Higgins next. Hagney fell in the race, but caught the field again. M'Clymont also fell and cut his leg rather badly. Power and Roberts punctured. Result:—

F. S. Hagney, Wahringa	1
J. Mumford, Parramatta	2
P. C. Higgins, Rookwood	3

Time, 61m 57s.

DUNLOP PREMIERSHIP.

THIRD HEAT DECIDED.

The third heat of the interclub race for amateur riders, promoted by the Dunlop Rubber Company, and held under the auspices of the New South Wales Cyclists' Union, took place on Saturday over the Homebush course. An immense crowd witnessed the racing, which was exceptionally brilliant. The course, as in the former heats, was a double journey from Newell's Hotel to the Granville gates and return, making 20 miles altogether. The weather turned out fine for the occasion, and the roads were in fair condition. The clubs taking part in the race were well represented, and when the Enfield, Swift, and Eastern Suburbs teams met each had the best men that could have been selected. The wisdom of the governing body in debarring wooden rims and single-tube tyres was emphasised by the immunity from accident. Punctures and minor mishaps were, however, frequent, with the result that several riders with good chances in the races suffered. Amongst those who were unfortunate in this respect was H. W. Thompson, the Eastern Suburbs champion, who had to change machines six times during the race. Other members of the Eastern Suburbs were equally unfortunate, as were several Swift Club riders. Enfield Club, the holders of the championship, as a result of superior speed, generalship, and luck, consequently romped home in fine style, and go straight into the final. Many expected to see the holders defeated by the strong team sent forward by the Eastern Suburbs Club, but Thompson's and other cracks' misfortunes prevented any surprise. From the start the men were well bunched, and except for one or two riders, delayed through spills or punctures, the positions were unchanged until nearing the finishing place. The first half of the journey was the faster, being covered in 29m 31s, the men taking the turn in fine style. In the final burst for home, Thompson sprinted from the little bridge, 150 yards off the winning-post, and looked all out a winner, when Maxwell, with a meteoric rush, just headed him by inches on the post. Immediately behind this crack pair came Nicholson, Gannon, Powys, and others, only a couple of lengths to the bad. As a result of the hotly contested race the time for the 20 miles was greatly reduced, and a record established for the course, viz., 53m 21 4-5s. The following is the result of the racing:—

Enfield Club, 13 points	1
Swift Club, 30 points	2
Eastern Suburbs Club, 35 points	3

The following were the individual placings:—

H. K. Maxwell (Enfield)	1
H. W. Thompson (Eastern Suburbs)	2
R. L. Nicholson (Enfield)	3
R. S. Gannon (Enfield)	4
F. Powys (Enfield)	5
P. H. Mutton (Swift)	6
E. M'Gregor (Swift)	7
C. Cutcliffe (Swift)	8
G. Lynn (Swift)	9
A. E. Stewart (Eastern Suburbs)	10
W. Grist (Eastern Suburbs)	11
R. L. Blake (Eastern Suburbs)	12

BOTANY BICYCLE CLUB.

The above club held a 10-miles road race on Saturday afternoon over the Bunnerong-La Perouse course. There was a fair attendance of cyclists to witness the racing, which was most spirited. The result was as follows:—F. E. Callinan, 2m 30s (riding time 28m 30s), 1; E. Sutton, 2m start (riding time 28m 14s), 2; D. Dunkerley, 4m start (riding time 30m 27s), 3. A. J. Bridges, with 15s start, did fastest time in the race, covering the course in 27m 34s.

PYRMONT CLUB.

The Pyrmont club held a 10-miles road race on the Maroubra course on Saturday afternoon, when some interesting racing was seen. Many cycling clubs and enthusiastic wheelmen went out to witness the contest, which was well fought out from start to finish. The following is the result:—W. Robertson, scr, 1; T. Callaghan, 5m, 2; W. H. Fortier, 3m, 3. Won by a length. The winner did fastest time, chronicling 28m 15s for the distance.

BOWLS.

SATURDAY'S PLAY.

With the Association Competitions at an end, bowlers have now settled down to those much appreciated friendly visits from club to club, which occupy the winter months. The programme on Saturday was chiefly made up of interclub games, and, as it was a very fine afternoon, play on the green was very pleasant. Some of the matches proved close and exciting, but defeats are nothing and wins don't count for much in such games. A real good afternoon's sport is the prevailing spirit. First-class and second-rate players are to be found side by side, the strong man educating the weak, and all having a real good social game of bowls, leaving the results to come out when they will. There are some players, however, who cannot stand defeat, and they play as earnestly in a scratch match as if the honour of the State was hanging in the balance. They love, also, to let it be known that they have beaten some other warrior. But these players are the exception to the rule. Some 15 matches, from a single rink contest to a four-rinked game, were on the programme on Saturday. The Manly club also completed its championship competition, which resulted in the rink captained by Oakes, who had as his three men Passau, Moses, and Hoskings, defeating Myers, Sadler, Purves, and Maybury, by 14 points. The following are the details of the afternoon's play:—

VICTORIA PARK v CHATSWOOD.

One rink from Chatswood came over to Victoria Park, and was defeated by four of the local men by 39 to 11. The players were:—

	V.P.	C.
Walters, Pritchard, Huenerbein, Hogue	39	—
Rhodes, Lyons, Lindsay, Woolnough	—	11

CHATSWOOD v MARRICKVILLE.

Three rinks from Chatswood were visitors at Marrickville. The Chatswood team were short of a number of players, and they obtained assistance from the local club to fill up the vacancies. The rinks and scores were:—

	M.	C.
Wall, Box, Clarke, Cox	22	—
Dugdale (sub.), Johnston (sub.), Aubin, Furness	—	19
Sims, Cutler, Turner, Gould	13	—
Roles (sub.), Hammond, Ellis, French	—	22
Clapin, Austin, Doyle, Cole	23	—
Bradshaw (sub.), Spanswick, Goodall, R. T. Smith	—	26
Totals	58	67

ST. GEORGE v MARRICKVILLE.

St. George Club also played three rinks on the Marrickville green. They defeated the local representatives by 16 points. Mr. Trivett's rink only got together nine against the quartet led by Mr. A. Loudon, who put up a score of 35. The rinks and totals were as follows:—

	M.	St. G.
Whitelaw, Moorehouse, Brown, Trivett	9	—
Byrne, Goshell, R. Loudon, A. Loudon	—	35
Edward, Newman, Fawn, Gibbs	24	—
Wick, Fortescue, Garden, M'Millan	—	13
Herd, Ferguson, Kay, M'Intosh	21	—
Aldersen, Wedlock (sub.), Paris, Hanks	—	22
Totals	54	70

VICTORIA PARK v ANNANDALE.

Annandale sent three rinks to Victoria Park. The local club defeated them by a substantial majority. The scores were:—

	V.P.	A.
Cross, Barnett, Willings, Lane	30	—
Doyle, Tulloch, M'Elrey, Renwick	—	8
Langley, Jarman, Brockenshire, Messell	13	—
Seymour, Law, Clarke, Mortley	—	23
Lee, Young, Wilkie, Rigg	18	—
Packer, Row, Burne, J. Young	—	12
Totals	61	43

NORTH SYDNEY v REDFERN.

These clubs met on the North Sydney green, when a close and interesting game resulted in a win for the home representatives by 8 points. Scores:—

	N.S.	R.
F. Hillier, Barker, Mayo, Binny	21	—
Danks, Wheeldon, Ross, Leitch	—	18
Last, Hogg, Perry, Lee	30	—
Donald, Fletcher, Hayes, Bright	—	12
Wiseheart, C. Walker, Glacken, Arthur	12	—
Banner, Farry, Grierson, Isaacs	—	25
Totals	63	55

NORTH SYDNEY v WARRINGAH.

This match was played on the Warringah green, and resulted in a win for the visitors by 12 points. Scores:—

	N.S.	W.
Warner, Saddington, Newton, Reeves	21	—
M'Donald, Philbrook, Viles, Stinson	—	17
Hall, Winter, Hobson, Carter	21	—
Casper, Barnes, Irving, Bingham	—	16
Totals	45	33

MOSMAN v WARRINGAH.

The two Mosman clubs met in a three-rink contest on the Mosman green, when an enjoyable game was won by the home representatives by 22 points. Scores:—

	M.	W.
M'Neilly, Goldfinch, Barnes, Pinnington	27	—
Bray, Cook, Horsey, Alderson	—	16
Noble, Warren, Parkinson, Groth	20	—
M'Donald, Phillips, Mitchell, Denyer	—	14
Sutherland, Kessell, Storey, Colquhoun	19	—
Chapman, Munro, Bridgewater, Gordon	—	14
Totals	66	44

HUNTER'S HILL CLUB.

An interesting rink contest took place on the Hunter's Hill green between members resident in Drummoyne and Woolwich respectively. The game was close and interesting throughout, and it was the last shot of the day that decided it in favour of Drummoyne by 1 point. Scores:—

	D.	W.
Henderson, Sherborne, Loveridge, Sutton	17	—
Brown, Thompson, Aspinall, M'Pherson	—	16

WAVERLEY v STRATHFIELD.

Played at the Union Recreation Ground, Strathfield, and won by the visiting team by 35 points, after a pleasant game. Scores:—

	W.	S.
Barkell, Dean, Ross, Irvine	28	—
Bunting, Southerden, Thompson, Roxburgh	—	10
M'Naughton, Ince, Dyson, Gartrell	19	—
Orr, Cowdery, Inglis, Williams	—	12
Fairweather, Legoe, Taylor, Evans	28	—
J. Drake, Magill, Toohey, W. Drake	—	3
Totals	75	40

CITY v PARRAMATTA.

These teams met on the Parramatta green. City won by 8 points. Scores:—

	P.	C.
Simpson, Linsley, Dumbrell, Lavor	18	—
Whitehouse, Hannam, Cooper, Hall	—	14
Pearce, Paul, Mason, Finlayson	15	—
Gosche, Moss, M'Lean, Anderson	—	40
Grime, Henderson, Byrnes, Fullagar	18	—
Marqueen, Silby, Winn, Forsberg	—	18
Gould, Robilliard, Meggitt, Coates	25	—
Cromarty, Pedley, Baillie, Trimble	—	12
Totals	76	84

RANDWICK v MOSMAN.

Played at Randwick, and won by the home players by 15 points (67-52). Scores:—

	R.	M.
Crouch, Sweetnam, Cameron, Sledge	27	—
Bowman, Rose, King, Johnston	—	13
Mackenzie, Coulton, Lewis, Scott	17	—
Nixon, Withy, Mackey, Macleod	—	19
Kiss, Henry, Ward, Brownwich	23	—
Abell, Hockey, Rees, Smith	—	20
Totals	67	52

WAVERLEY v STRATHFIELD.

Played at Waverley. The local team won by 15 points (63 to 48). Scores:—

	W.	S.
Hill, Parsons, Chandler, Fitzgerald	25	—
Henderson, Short, Thorpe, Francis	—	14
Jessop, Baines, Laurence, Martin	18	—
Rausch, Nall, Robey, Hillyer	—	14
Davall, Fullwood, Nicholls, Graham	20	—
Thompson, Smith, Read, Love	—	20
Totals	63	48

BOWLS AT NEWCASTLE.

NEWCASTLE, Sunday.

The third round for the president's trophy in the Hamilton Club's competition was played on Saturday. W. Wallace (5) beat J. Mercer (7), 31 to 18; T. Howard (5) beat E. G. Yeomans (7), 31 to 18; T. Vallender (6) beat A. Myers (5), 31 to 25; G. H. Tudor (7) beat J. E. Swain (scr), 31 to 19.

In the Lowlands Club rink competition Bell, Patrick, H. Gilbert, Clayton (26) beat R. Kilgour, Banks, Colgan, Frost (14).

Field, Hunniford, Wells, Penrose (20) beat Warburst, Ash, Christie, Mottram; Rodgers, Farrar, Preston, Mulvey (17) beat Thorne, Cromarty, J. Kilgour, O. Gilbert (14).

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FUNERALS.

BEAUMONT.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR FREDERICK BEAUMONT are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved and only SON, Arthur Jack Beaumont, aged 2 years and 7 months; to move from their residence, 140 Darlinghurst-road, Darlinghurst, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 9.30, for Rookwood Cemetery. CHARLES KINSELA, Queen's Cross, Darlinghurst. Tel., 22 Edgecliff.

CARUGATI.—The Friends of the late CHARLES B. CARUGATI, butcher, late of Oxford-street, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 71 Johnston-street, Annandale, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley.
CHARLES KINSELA, Funeral Director,
Tel., 902. Head Office: 116 Oxford-street.

CARUGATI.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN J. CARUGATI are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved FATHER, Charles B. Carugati; to move from his late residence, 71 Johnston-st, Annandale, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley. C. KINSELA.

CARUGATI.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM CARUGATI are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved FATHER, Charles B. Carugati; to move from his late residence, 71 Johnston-street, Annandale, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley. CHAS. KINSELA.

CARUGATI.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DANIEL CARUGATI are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved FATHER, Charles B. Carugati; to move from his late residence, 71 Johnston-street, Annandale, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley. CHARLES KINSELA.

CARUGATI.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. SYDNEY M. D. CARUGATI are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved FATHER, Charles B. Carugati; to move from his late residence, 71 Johnston-street, Annandale, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley.

CARUGATI.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. CATLETT and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved FATHER and their GRANDFATHER, Charles B. Carugati; to move from his late residence, 71 Johnston-street, Annandale, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley.
CHARLES KINSELA, Rockdale, opp. station.

CARUGATI.—Friends of CHARLES F., ALBERT, and AUGUSTA WEBER and Mrs. SHARP and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved UNCLE and their GRANDFATHER, Charles B. Carugati; to move from his late residence, 71 Johnston-street, Annandale, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley.
CHARLES KINSELA, 61 Oxford-street, Paddington.

CARUGATI.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. MACMULLEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved FRIEND, Charles B. Carugati; to move from his late residence, 71 Johnston-street, Annandale, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley. C. KINSELA, 116 Oxford-st.

CLARKE.—The Friends of Mrs. CHARLES CLARKE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly beloved HUSBAND, Charles Clarke; to leave his late residence, 1 Burton-street, North Sydney, THIS DAY, at 3.30, for St. Thomas' C. of England Cemetery.
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CLARKE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. SID. CLARKE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved FATHER, Charles Clarke, to leave his late residence, 1 Burton-street, North Sydney, THIS DAY, at 3.30, for St. Thomas's Cemetery.
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P.A.F.S. of A., JOHN KNOX LODGE, No. 22.—The Members of the above Lodge are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of our late Bro., CHARLES CLARKE; to leave No. 1 Burton-street, North Sydney, THIS DAY, at 3.30, for St. Thomas's Cemetery.
F. RANCE, W.M.
W. ROBERTS, Sec.

COSTA.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GUISEPPE COSTA are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved DAUGHTER, Elvira; to move from their residence, 91 Devonshire-street, city, THIS MONDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.
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CROWE.—The Friends of the late Mrs. ELIZABETH CROWE are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, 67 College-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown station.
W. N. BULL, Funeral Director.

CROWE.—The Friends of Mr. THOMAS CROWE and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved WIFE and MOTHER; to move from her residence, 67 College-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown station. W. N. BULL, Funeral Director.

CROWE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. BILLETT, Mr. and Mrs. W. CHAPMAN, Mr. and Mrs. P. ROBINSON, Mr. and Mrs. F. LANCE, and Mrs. J. PETERSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Mrs. Elizabeth Crowe; to move from her late residence, 67 College-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown station.
W. N. BULL,
Funeral Director.

CROWE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN COADY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Mrs. Elizabeth Crowe; to move from her late residence, 67 College-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown station. BULL, Fun. Direc.

CROWE.—The Friends of Messrs. EDWARD and THOMAS COADY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Mrs. Elizabeth Crowe; to move from 67 College-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown station. W. N. BULL, Funeral Director.

LOYAL PROGRESS LODGE, N.I.O.F.—The Officers and Members are respectfully requested to attend the Funeral of the WIFE of Bro. THOS. CROWE; to leave 61 College-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, at 1.30, for Rookwood.
A. MELVILLE, N.G.; THOS. STIFFE, Sec.

FLEMING.—The Friends of the late Mrs. ELIZABETH FLEMING are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to leave her son's residence, 2 Pickup-street, Alexandria, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for the Wesleyan Cemetery, Rookwood.
COFFILL and COMPANY.

FLEMING.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES W. and Mr. and Mrs. PERCIVAL FLEMING are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER; to leave 2 Pickup-street, Alexandria, THIS DAY, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
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FLEMING.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. MONTGOMERY, Mr. and Mrs. C. HUDSON, and Mr. and Mrs. J. TOWNSEND are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER, Elizabeth Fleming; to leave 2 Pickup-street, Alexandria, THIS DAY, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
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FLEMING.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. HART and Mr. and Mrs. DAVENPORT are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SISTER, Elizabeth Fleming; to leave 2 Pickup-street, Alexandria, THIS DAY, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Funeral Directors.

HOWLAND.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HOWLAND, of 10 Jaques-street, Balmain, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Mary Fleming; to leave her late residence, Beaumont-street, Redfern, THIS DAY (Monday), at 1.30, for Rookwood Cemetery.

LAWRENCE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. LAWRENCE are invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved infant DAUGHTER (two days old); to leave their residence, Elsham-street, Auburn, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood. R. METCALF, Undertaker.

MABEE.—The Friends of the deceased Mr. ALFRED GROSVENOR MABEE, of 29 Withcombe-street, Balmain, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the Mortuary Station THIS MONDAY, at 8.22 p.m., for the Necropolis.
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MAHER.—The friends of the late ELLEN MAHER are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to leave her late residence, Woniora-road, Hurstville, THIS DAY, at a quarter past 2 o'clock, for R.C. Cemetery, Sutherland. CHAS. KINSELA, Funeral Director, 765 George-street; and Rockdale.

MURPHY.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM MURPHY and FAMILY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved WIFE and MOTHER; to leave their residence, 44 Annesley-street, Leichhardt, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 1, for the Necropolis, via Mortuary Station.
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MURPHY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. DOYLE (25 M'Kenzie-street, Rozelle) are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SISTER, Mrs. Mary Ann Murphy; to leave 44 Annesley-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at quarter to 1, for the Necropolis, via Mortuary Station.
COFFILL and COMPANY.

MURPHY.—The Friends of Mr. SAMUEL DOYLE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly loved SISTER, Mrs. Mary Ann Murphy; to leave 44 Annesley-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at quarter to 1, for the Necropolis, via Mortuary Station. COFFILL and COMPANY.

MURPHY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DAVID FULLER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SISTER, Mrs. Mary Ann Murphy; to leave 44 Annesley-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at quarter to 1, for the Necropolis, via Mortuary Station.
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NEILSEN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. NEILSEN and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved GRANDSON, John William Neilsen, to leave Albion, Boulevard, Leichhardt, THIS DAY, at 3 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.

PARDEY.—The Funeral of the late Mr. EDWIN PARDEY (who died at the residence of his sister, Mrs. William Watt, Grass Valley, California, on April 13), will leave 24 Denham-street, Surry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood.
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PARDEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM, Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES, Mr. and Mrs. WATT, and Mr. and Mrs. PERCY PARDEY, and Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM WOODS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved FATHER, Edwin Pardey; to leave 24 Denham-street, Surry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood.
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PARDEY.—TRAVELLERS' HOME LODGE, G.U.O.O.F.—Officers and Members are invited to attend the Funeral of our late Bro., EDWIN PARDEY; to leave 24 Denham-street, Surry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood.
E. FRANCIS, N.G.
T. A. RICKETTS, Sec.

REARDEN.—The Funeral of the deceased Mr. EDWIN REARDEN will leave his late residence, 96 Redfern-street, Redfern, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 8.30, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
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REARDEN.—The Friends of Mrs. E. REARDEN, IDA and EDWIN, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved HUSBAND and FATHER, Edwin Rearden; to move from his late Residence, 96 Redfern-street, Redfern, at 8.30 a.m., for Necropolis, July 2.

REARDEN.—The Friends of Mr. T. FLEMMING and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER and GRANDFATHER, Edwin Rearden; to move from his late residence, 96 Redfern-street, Redfern, at 8.30 a.m., July 2, for Necropolis. COFFILL and CO.

RYAN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. RYAN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER, Ann Rogers; to leave the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. F. Feltham, Salisbury-street, Concord, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Concord.
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Burwood, Summer Hill, etc.

RYAN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. RYAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of the late Mrs. ANN RYAN; to leave Salisbury-street, Concord, at 2 o'clock sharp, for the Concord Cemetery.

RYAN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. FRANK FELTHAM are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of the late Mrs. ANN RYAN; to leave Salisbury-street, Concord, at 2 o'clock sharp, for the Concord Cemetery.

RYAN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE WOOD are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of the late Mrs. ANN RYAN; to leave Salisbury-street, Concord, at 2 o'clock sharp, for the Concord Cemetery.

THE Friends of the late JAMES F. C. SMITH (Ironmoulder) are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 176 Albion-street, Surry Hills, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
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THE Friends of Mrs. ESTHER SMITH and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late HUSBAND and FATHER, James F. C. Smith; to move from his late residence, 176 Albion-street, Surry Hills, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
COFFILL and CO., Undertakers.

SMITH.—The Friends of Messrs. T. E. UPTON and W. S. BURKE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved FATHER-IN-LAW, James S. C. Smith; to leave his late residence, 176 Albion-street, Surry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Waverley Cemetery.
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LOYAL WANDERING MINSTREL LODGE.—The Members of the above Lodge are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of our late Brother J. F. C. Smith; to move from his late residence, 176 Albion-street, Surry Hills, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Waverley Cem. E. Cousens, N.G., T. H. Evans, sec.

TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. WALTER R. TAYLOR are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved infant SON, Walter; to leave their residence, Wallace-street, Marrickville, THIS DAY, at 1.15 p.m., for the Necropolis, via Petersham Station.
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WEBSTER.—The Friends of the deceased Mr. ROBERT WEBSTER are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, 5 Bridge-road, Pyrmont, TO-MORROW (Tuesday), at 2.30 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
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WEBSTER.—The Friends of Mrs. MARY WEBSTER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved HUSBAND, Robert; to leave 5 Bridge-road, Pyrmont, TO-MORROW (Tuesday), at 2.30 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
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N. Sydney, etc.

WHITE.—The Friends of Mrs. JOHN H. WHITE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved HUSBAND; to leave 134 Campbell-st., Surry Hills, THIS DAY, at 2.30, for Waverley Cemetery.
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Sydney, North Sydney, Marrickville,
Burwood, Summer Hill, etc.

THE Friends of Mr. W. and A. CROCKFORD are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER-IN-LAW, John White: to move from 134 Campbell-street, Surry Hills, at 2.30 for Waverley Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. WEEKS and Mr. and Mrs. A. BROWN, of Ultimo, are requested to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER-IN-LAW, John White; to move from 134 Campbell-street, at 2.30 p.m. THIS DAY, for Waverley Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. CROCKFORD are requested to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER-IN-LAW, John White; to move from 134 Campbell-street, at 2.30 p.m. THIS DAY, for Waverley Cemetery.

WILLIAMS.—The Friends of Mrs. JOHN WILLIAMS and FAMILY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved DAUGHTER and SISTER, Margaret Agnes; to leave their residence, Innesdale-street, Arncliffe, THIS DAY, at 1 o'clock, for the Necropolis, via Newtown Station.
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WILSON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT WILSON and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved SON and BROTHER, Rufus Rowland; to leave their residence, 12 Carlisle-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.45, for Petersham station, thence to Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood.
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WRIGHT.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES WRIGHT are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved infant DAUGHTER, Doris; to leave their residence, 346 Lane Cove-road (Crow's Nest), North Sydney, THIS DAY, at 2.45, for the Gore Hill Cemetery. COFFILL and COMPANY.

YOUNG.—The Friends and Relatives of the late WILLIAM YOUNG are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 92 Shepherd-street, city, THIS DAY, at 9 a.m., for Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood, via Mortuary station.
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Usual Price, 7/6. Sale Price, 4/11.
We are also showing a splendid assortment of Wool Goods—Manufacturers' Samples, Wool Shawls, Fascinators, Infants' Hoods, Infants' Jackets, Bootees, etc., at
HALF THE USUAL PRICES.

JULY SALE BARGAINS.
BARGAINS IN SILKS.
High-grade SILKS at Bargain Prices.
Item 1.—22-inch "Japanese Crepe-de-chene Silks," in lovely Colourings.
Sale Price, 1/6½. Worth 2/3 yard.
Item 2.—Double-width "Crepe-de-chene Silks," 45 inches wide, in White, Cream, Sky, Turquoise, Buttercup, etc., etc.
Sale Price, 2/6 yard. Worth 4/6.
Item 3.—Double-width "Crepe Radium Silks," 45 inches wide, in Cream, Grey, Pink, Turquoise, etc., etc.
Sale Price, 3/11 yard. Worth 8/11.
Item 4.—Another Lot of Lovely Silk Velvets, in shades of Beavers, Turquoise, Heliotrope, Ma-Mie-Rosette, Tangerine, and Rose Pink.
Sale Price, 1/6½ yard. Worth 4/11.
Item 5.—40 Pieces White and Coloured Satins.
Sale Price, 12½d yard. Worth 1/11½.
Item 6.—A TABLE OF REMNANTS. REMNANTS OF SILKS AND VELVETS
at
HALF PRICES.
HALF PRICES.

JULY SALE BARGAINS.
GREAT SALE OF LACES.
See the Lace Window TO-DAY.
Lovely Oriental, Guipure, and Real Torchon Laces,
AT MANUFACTURER'S PRICES.
GILT TINSEL ELASTIC BELTS.
Another 500 just opened.
All One Price, 2/6 each. Worth 3/6 to 4/11.

JULY SALE BARGAINS.
150 PIECES
of BLOUSE FLANNELETTES (in French Flannel Designs), must be cleared out.
All One Price, 4½d yard. Worth 6½d to 8½d yard.

JULY SALE BARGAINS.
BARGAINS IN DRESS MATERIALS.
New Shipment of Grey Tweeds just opened, all in the wide (double-widths).
Sale Prices, 12½d, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/9 yard.
REMNANTS, REMNANTS,
(no soiled old-fashioned materials).
HALF PRICES.

JULY SALE BARGAINS.
HOSIERY BARGAINS.
Good Warm Hosiery selling in any quantity at Reduced Prices.
Ladies' All-wool Black Cashmere Hose, Winter Weights,
Prices, 10½d, 1/, and 1/3½d pair.
Ladies' All-Wool Black Ribbed Cashmere Hose. To-day's Clearing Prices, 1/6, 1/9, and 1/11 pair.
Ladies' All-Wool Black Lace Fronts Cashmere Hose.
To-day's Clearing Prices, 1/6½ and 1/9 pair.
Fleecy Wool Night Socks (no more cold feet), all at Reduced Prices.
A Large Table Full of Hosiery, selling out at Bargain Prices.

GREAT JULY SALE
STARTS TO-DAY, MONDAY, JULY 2nd.
E. WAY AND COMPANY,
PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

W. T. WATERS AND CO., LTD.,
"THE LEADERS OF FASHION."
SEASONABLE GOODS
AT
SALEABLE PRICES.
A WONDERFUL PURCHASE OF
CHINTZ WADDED QUILTS.
150, Size 6 x 5, at 4s 11d.
180, Size 6 x 6, at 5s 11d.
These Quilts are just what is required for the Cold Weather, and worth more than Double Our Selling Price.

DRESS MATERIALS.
FASHIONABLE GREY TWEEDS, 1s 3½d and 1s 4½d. Regular Price for this line is 1s 11d.
GREY TWEEDS, 50 inch, at 2s 3d.
COLOURED TWEEDS, with TARTAN EFFECT, 1s 7½d, 1s 11½d, and 2s 6d.
ROBE LENGTHS OF SHRUNK SCOTCH TWEED we are clearing at 25s 6d. Usual Price, 63s. Only a few of these left.
FACED CLOTHS, in Navy, Wine Colours, Prunes, and all fashionable shades. New range just to hand.
NAVY and CREAM SERGES, 1s 3½d, 1s 8½d, 1s 11½d, 2s 3d, etc.
JAPANESE SILKS, all shades, from 9½d.
A SPLENDID RANGE of TAFFETA CHIFFON SILKS, CREPE DE CHINE, and CRYSTALLINES, 44 inches wide, from 2s 11d per yard.
FANCY BLOUSE VELVETEEN, at 1s 11½d. Usual Price, 2s 11d.

TAILOR-MADE JACKETS.
Fashionable Tweed Jackets, at Reduced Prices.
35 Black Caracul Jackets, very smart and comfortable, from 25s 6d to 47s 6d. The Regular Price is 32s 6d to 63s.
150 of the NEW FAWN BOX CLOTH JACKETS, the smartest styles of the season.

TAILOR-MADE SKIRTS.
7-gore Tweed Walking Skirts, 4s 11d, 8s 11d.
Heather Tweed Gored Walking Skirts, 10s 6d, and 12s 6d.
Heather Tweed Pleated Skirts, 10s 6d.
Light Grey Walking Skirts, stitched hem, 10s 9d.
9-gore Smart Grey Skirts, trimmed Strappings and Buttons, 18s 9d.
Smartly Cut Dark Grey Fleck Tweed Skirts, 21s.

W. T. WATERS AND CO., LTD.,
"THE LEADERS OF FASHION."
KING AND GEORGE STREETS, SYDNEY.

IMITATIONS
and
MALTOVINE.
The Manufacturers of Maltovine Milk Food Biscuits earnestly request the public to be sure when buying this popular biscuit food for children that the full name
MALTOVINE
is on every biscuit.
No sooner had the success of Maltovine become assured—when people began to buy them in preference to all other children's biscuits—than imitations bearing a similar name, and possessing a similar shape, were immediately made and placed on the market.
WE CAUTION THE PUBLIC TO SEE
THAT THE FULL NAME MALTOVINE
APPEARS ON EVERY BISCUIT AND TIN.
Maltovine Milk Food Biscuits contain no arrowroot or excess of any kind of starch.
They are a delicious food containing all the elements that make strong, healthy children, and are made under the personal direction of a medical food specialist.
"THE PROPER FEEDING OF CHILDREN."
Fill in this form and post to Maltovine, 117 Pitt-street, Sydney, enclosing a penny stamp for a free book, "The Proper Feeding of Children," by a Sydney Doctor.
NAME ....
ADDRESS ....

MEETINGS.

THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY, Limited.
Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-yearly GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Limited, will be held at the head Banking-house of the Company, in George-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the twentieth day of July next, at noon precisely, to receive the Report of the Board of Directors for the half-year ending 30th June; to elect a Director in the room of the Hon. H. E. Kater, M.L.C., who retires in terms of the Articles of Association, he being eligible for re-election; to elect two Auditors for the ensuing year; and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the requirements of the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board.
T. A. DIBBS,
General Manager.
Sydney, 20th June, 1906.
N.B.—Notice of Candidature for the office of Director is required by the 95th clause of the Articles of Association to be left in writing, duly signed, at the Head Banking-house of the Company, seven clear days prior to the date of the meeting.

THE CHILLAGOE COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held in the Board Room, at the office of the Company, 39 Queen-street, Melbourne, on TUESDAY, the 10th day of JULY, 1906, at the hour of 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of transacting the ordinary business, of which due notice will be given.
Dated this 26th day of June, 1906.
By order of the Board,
C. L. HEWITT,
Secretary.

POLITICAL LABOUR LEAGUE OF N.S. WALES.
The EXECUTIVE hereby invites nominations in accord with the Rules of the P.L.L. from qualified persons for the Position of LABOUR CANDIDATE for the following Federal Electorates, viz.:—
NEW ENGLAND, ROBERTSON.
Nominations to be addressed to and returned to the undersigned before 8 p.m. FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1906.
J. GRANT, Gen. Returning Officer,
Trades Hall,
Goulburn-street, Sydney.

FRIENDS of ARCHIE LITTLE, late Chief Engineer Sonoma, meet at Sutton's American Bar, TO-NIGHT (Monday), at 8, to arrange plan to show the respect in which he was held, and the loss that we, his friends and the travelling public of Australia, have sustained by the severance of his connection with the Oceanic Line.
J. B. SUTTON, Convener.

SYDNEY MISSION TO SEAMEN.
TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING
will be held at
ST. JAMES' HALL,
ON WEDNESDAY, at 7.45 P.M.
His Excellency the State Governor will Preside.

KENSINGTON BOOKMAKERS' ASSOCIATION.
A MEETING (adjourned) of the above Members will be held TO-NIGHT (Monday), at the QUEEN'S HALL, 8 o'clock sharp.
BUSINESS VERY IMPORTANT.
F. A. BUCKLETON, Hon. Sec.

DEBATE.—Did Jesus rise from the Dead? Percy Fowler v Wilson Wilson, TO-NIGHT and TUESDAY NIGHT, Protestant Hall.
ADMISSION 6d.

UNION CLUB.—Members are reminded that the Ballot MEETING, of which due notice has been given, will be held TO-MORROW, July 3rd, 1906, at 1 o'clock p.m. By order. W. ALISON, Acting Sec.

WOOLLAHRA, Randwick, Waverley, Paddington Lab. Leagues meet Windsor C. Hotel, Pdtn., To-night, 8.

NO. 4 L.O.L., TO-NIGHT, 8, Prot. Hall. Address, Bro. Ridgeway. Visitors invited. S. Withers, sec.

PROFESSIONS, TRADES, ETC.

(For advertisements under this heading see page 2.)

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A.B.C., 219 William-st.—Young H. and P. Maids, 6 young Cook-Laundresses; many others.

A COMPT. Man, 23, wants Garden Work, milk, drive, open 1 week. George, G.P.O.

AT Mrs. Smith's, 236 Miller-st, N. Syd.—Waiting, C., Laund., 14s; H. Gens., 8s; Helps, 8s, N. Syd.

BY resp. yng. Groom, drive, garden, milk, useful, 2 yrs. last place, wages 10s. Glen, Herald, King-st.

BY resp. Man, garden, milk, groom, useful, good refs., wages 8s. Brae, Herald, King-st.

BY Baker (30), make smallgoods, 3 years' refs., country pref. Simmonds, 188 Castlereagh-st.

BY good Station and Farm Hands, plough, fence, etc., references. Simmonds, 188 Castlereagh-st.

BY Station Couples, man cook and baker, wife laundress or housekeeper; also Man, milk, kill, etc., wife general servant, excellent refs.
SIMMONDS, 188 Castlereagh-street.

COOK (yng. French woman) wants Sit., b'house or htl. pref. Mrs. Campbell, 61 Eliz.-st. T., 2984.

COOK, yng., 2.2., 18s; Gen. (29), small fam., no wash., 10s. Mrs. Motta, 47 Wm.-st. Tel., 279 W.-st.

COUNTRY Girl like position, gentleman's family, train house par. maid. Hope, North Sydney P.O.

COLD SNAP BARGAINS AT
M'DOWELL AND HUGHES'
WINTER SALE.
The cold snap, together with the notable reductions on our New Winter Goods, will make a great clearance in winter necessities.
We offer a most varied and complete selection of Fashionable Goods to suit all tastes, and the prices—well, they are lower—much lower—than you'd pay elsewhere.

DOUBLE CO-OPERATIVE COUPONS.
To stimulate buying in the morning, and so relieve the crush in the afternoons, we will give Double Co-operative Coupons for every sixpence spent between the hours of 9 and 11 o'clock.

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE GOWNS.
We use the highest grade suitings, put the best workmanship in the garments, and guarantee a perfect fit.
SALE PRICE, TO ORDER, from £4 7s 6d.
Our Head Cutter came from Messrs. John Redfern and Sons, Old Conduit House, London W., acknowledged to be the best-known firm of Ladies' Tailors in the world.

BLANKET BARGAINS.
A Manufacturer's Stock of real Australian Wool Blankets, at less than cost. Slightly imperfect.

	Sale Price.	Usual Price.
SINGLE BED SIZE	11/6	17/6
THREE-QUARTER BED SIZE	14/9	21/
DOUBLE BED SIZE	18/6	27/6

DRESS BARGAINS.

	Sale Price.	Usual Price.
NEW TWEED EFFECTS, Double Width	/10½	1/6
ALL-WOOL FANCY TWEEDS, Double Width	1/2½	2/3
SPOT GRANIT PANAMA, BLACK and NEW SHADES, Double Width	1/2½	1/11½
PANAMA HOPSACS, BLACK and NEW SHADES, Double Width	1/4½	2/3
NEW GREY TWEEDS, Double Width	1/4½	1/11

SILK BARGAINS.

	Sale Price.	Usual Price.
BLACK MERVEILLEUX, all Pure Silk, guaranteed to wear well	1/4½	2/3
BLACK SILK BENGALINE, at less than cost, guaranteed to wear well	1/11½	4/6
COLOURED SILK MERVEILLEUX, balance of our stock of oddments	/8½	2/6
COLOURED BROCHE SILK, in a variety of shades	/8½	1/11

RIBBONS, BELTS, LACES.

	Sale Price.	Usual Price.
SILK CHENE RIBBON, all Shades, 4½ inches wide	/5½	/9
50 DOZ. LADIES' FOLDED LEATHER BELTS, all Shades	1/3	1/6
100 DOZ. 4-BUTTON FRENCH SUEDE GLOVES, Stitched Backs, Black, Beaver, Brown	2/3	2/11
LADIES' CASHMERE HOSE, All Wool, Seamless, Double Heels and Toes	/10½	1/3
LADIES' FINE CASHMERE HOSE, Special Bargain	1/2	1/9

WARM UNDERWEAR BARGAINS.

	Sale Price.	Usual Price.
LADIES' FLANNELETTE NIGHT-DRESSES, Full Size, Trimmed Embroidery	4/9	6/6
CHILDREN'S FLANNELETTE KNICKERS, Pink, all Sizes	1/3	2/3
LADIES' STOCKINETTE KNICKERS	2/11	4/3
LADIES' COLOURED FLEDGLING DRESSING JACKETS	2/11	4/11
LADIES' ALL-WOOL RIBBED VESTS, in Natural and White, with Low Neck and Short Sleeves, Full Size	/11	1/6
LADIES' RIBBED NATURAL and WOOL VESTS, with Open Fronts and Long Sleeves, Full Size	/13½	1/9

SALE BARGAINS IN DRESSES.
SALE BARGAINS IN SILKS.
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SALE BARGAINS IN BELTS.
SALE BARGAINS IN COSTUMES.
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SALE BARGAINS IN CORSETS.
SALE BARGAINS IN SKIRTS.
Etc., Etc.

BARGAINS EVERYWHERE
THROUGHOUT DENISON HOUSE.
EARLY COMERS WILL REAP A RICH HARVEST.
M'DOWELL AND HUGHES,
SYDNEY'S ECONOMIC DRAPERS,
382-384 GEORGE-STREET, near G.P.O.

IN ORDER TO MAKE STILL BETTER KNOWN THE SOUND WEARING QUALITIES OF CALLAGHAN BOOTS AND SHOES.
WE ARE NOW HOLDING
ANOTHER OCCASION SALE.
A FEW LINES FOR LADIES.
LADIES' EVENING SHOES and SLIPPERS, 9s 6d and 10s 6d. Offered at 1s 11d. Small sizes.
GLACE-KID LACE SHOES, 9s 11d. Offered at 1s 3d.
TAN-KID 3-BAR SHOES, 12s 11d. Offered at 9s 11d.
GLACE-KID LACE SHOES, Patent Caps, Welted Soles, 13s 11d. Offered at 10s 11d.
Ditto, to button, 13s 11d. Offered at 10s 11d.
ALSO—A Fine Assorted Lot, in broken sizes, of BOOTS and SHOES—Prices, 15s 6d to 27s 6d. ALL OFFERED AT 3s 11d and 7s 11d.
RAPIDLY SELLING.
GENT.'S DOURO and RUSSIA CALF BALMORALS.—Usual Price, 21s and 18s 9d.—Offered at 14s 11d.
GENT.'S FINE VICI-KID BALMORALS, straight cap, Goodyear Welted.—Usual Price, 21s.—Offered at 14s 11d.
COME EARLY, BEFORE THE SIZES ARE SOLD OUT.
CALLAGHAN AND SON,
395 GEO.-ST, SYDNEY.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FRIENDS, comp. Gen. or C. and Lds. and H.P., Prot., and m.a. N'wmn. w. Eng. 70 Hunter-st.

GOOD reliable Servants waiting; Gens., Helps, N. Girls, yg. wmn., of. clg. 105 L'Av., King-st, Ntwn.

H'KEEPER, mid-aged woman, all duties, used to country, 7 y. ref. M. D., 26 Florence-st, St. Pet.

MOTHER'S HELP (19) seeks Position, all duties, fond children, teach mus., 10s. Z., P.O., Burwood.

MRS. MOTTA has the best Places Girls, call 9.30. 47 William-street. Tel., 279 William-st.

RESPECTABLE young Woman requires a Place as General. K. H., 253 Bourke-st, Darlinghurst.

WOMAN, assist in services, with plain homely people, 4s week. Particulars, W., Crown-st P.O.

WOMAN wants Work by day, used to laundry wk., or Cleaning by the day. 208 Riley-st, Surry Hills.

WAITING, sleeps, all duties except washing; waiting, Ladies who undertake light duties, nursing invalid, etc. Miss MACLACHLAN'S Agency, Equitable, 350 George-st, nr. G.P.O. T., 3928.

YOUNG Woman, exp., like Position, Lady Help or Companion, fond chil. X. L. L., Paddington P.O.

YOUNG Lady des. POS., Housemaid, assist bar, good exp. of bar. N. O. B., 9 Elizabeth-st, Padd'ton.

YOUNG Man wants immed. Employment, farm, station, prev. exp., further knowl. Denton, Herald.

YOUNG Man wants Situation as Cook, Houseman, or Waiter, good ref. J. Fraser, Herald Office.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A COMPLETE Upper or Lower Set of TEETH from £1 1s. Perfect fit guaranteed. Absolutely painless Extractions. Gold Stoppings from 10s 6d. Mr. J. SPENCER NOLAN, Dentist, 43 Oxford-st.

A COMPETENT GENERAL for three adults, good refs. Mrs. Collins, 174 William-st, Darlinghurst.

A COOK and L'dress, station, 15s, 3 in fam.; H. and P. Md., kept; Generals. Miss Blair, 117 Strand.

A GEN., 3 fam., 10s; Gen., 11s; yng Gen., 7s; Useful Girl. Mrs. Davies, 329 P'matta-rd, L'hardt.

AN experienced PARLOURMAID wanted, personal references. Kinneil, Elizabeth Bay-rd.

A NURSE for 2 children. Mrs. Wallis, Leowell, Torrington-rd, Strathfield.

A RESP. GENERAL wanted, pers. refs. 23 James-st, near Ridge-st, North Sydney.

AT Homebush-S'field Reg.—Comp. Cook and La., H. P. Md., same house, W. Maitland, sev. Generals.

AT once, smart resp. House Lad, ass. wait table, pers. refs. reqd. After 9, 180 Macquarie-st Nth.

A USEFUL BOY wanted, references. Mount Royal, 75 Macleay-st, Potts Point.

A—YOUNG Woman as GENERAL. 10 a.m., Lord Nelson Hotel, Miller's Point.

A YOUNG GIRL, for kitchen. York Dining Rooms, 135 Harris-st, Pyrmont.

A PANTRYMAID, 12s; Waitress (3), 12s 6d; Plain Cook, 10s, one 12s, int. 9.30; Groom, 14s; Hotel useful, 15s; Carter, 12s; M. Couple, station, £52.
SERVANTS' INSTITUTE, 112 Castlereagh-street.

A SUPERIOR GIRL, as Nursery Housemaid, wages 10s. Apply 10 to 1, personal reference, Mrs. P. BOURKE, Homeleigh, Avoca-street, Randwick, next to A.J.S. Bank.

AT Mrs. Peters', top Hunter-st. T. 1065.—House P. Md., 14s, 12s; yng. Nurse, Kitchen Md., 3 C.L., 16s, 18s; 20 G. Ss., city, sub., country, and others.

A MOTHER with useful Girl, 17s 6d (2 adults); Cook and L'dress, 18s, hotel, sub.; 16s, N. sub.; 16s, Narrabri; Laundress, 14s, hotel, S. line; H. and P. Maid, 14s (adult fam.), sub.; H.M.-Waitress, 12s, S. Coast; 12s, W. line; N. Housemaid, 10s; Gens. and Cook-L'dresses, 10s, 12s, 15s, subs., ctry. 110 Bathst-st.

BARMAID, saloon, 15s; Hotel Useful, 10s; Cook and Lds., dr.'s hse., 15s; etc. 190 Castlereagh-st.

COMMENCES TO-DAY,
AT
10 A.M.,
MRS. M'CATHIE'S, LTD.,
GREAT EXTENSION SALE.
6400 SQ. FEET OF EXTRA FLOOR SPACE.
Owing to the enormous increase in our trade we have been compelled to take over the premises adjoining our big warehouse.
The builders start at once, and as the dividing walls are to be taken away we have decided to
SACRIFICE OUR BIG STOCK
rather than run the risk of its being damaged by the builders when breaking through into
OUR PRESENT WAREHOUSE.
Remember the BIG REDUCTIONS we have made to-day are reductions on our previous exceptionally
LOW SALE PRICES.
We are prepared to lose a few thousand pounds on our Stock sooner than have
THE LOVELY GOODS
DAMAGED BY THE BUILDERS.
Here we tell of a few of the many GREAT BARGAINS SHOWING.
THE FIRST DAY
of
MRS. M'CATHIE'S, LTD.,
GREAT EXTENSION SALE.
First and Foremost a Big Stack of Double-width
DRESS MATERIALS
going at 4½d per yard. Other Stacks going at 6½d, 9½d, 10½d, 12½d, 1s 4½d, and 1s 6½d per yard.
EVERY YARD WORTH MORE THAN DOUBLE THE MONEY.
2 BIG BARGAINS in LADIES' TWEED SKIRTS.
No. 1. A Gift at 4s 11d each.
No. 2. The Cheapest line ever shown in Sydney. Worth from 17s 6d to 21s each.
SALE PRICE, 8s 11d each.
A BIG LOT OF
BASKETS AND FANCY GOODS
MUST BE CLEARED OUT.
THIS IS THE TIME FOR BARGAINS.
JAP. JARDINIERES, to be cleared out at 4½d, 6½d, and 1s 6½d each.
TOYS to be almost GIVEN AWAY.
A BIG LOT OF SAMPLE DOLLS AT
LESS THAN HALF PRICES.
REMNANTS OF DRESS MATERIALS and SILKS
to be Cleared at exactly
HALF THE MARKED PRICES.
A Table Full of
LOVELY BELTS,
MARKED TO DISAPPEAR
AT 6½d EACH.
GOLD BELTS, Handsome Buckles, a gift at 1s 11½d and 2s 11½d each.
GLOVES AT ENORMOUS REDUCTIONS.
The Best of our
MILLINERY STOCK,
AT SENSATIONAL PRICES.
FASHIONABLE UNTRIMMED STRAWS.
SALE PRICE, 11½d each.
FLANNELETTE BLOUSES REDUCED to 1s 6½d each.
ALL-WOOL FANCY FLANNEL and DELAINE BLOUSES Reduced to 4s 11d each.
BARGAINS IN CORSETS.
TAPE CORSETS, with Suspenders, at 1s 6½d pair.
PRETTY BROCADE CORSETS, with Suspenders, at 2s 6d pair.
A GREAT LINE OF SILK UNDERSKIRTS AT 10s 6d EACH.
Our Underclothing Stock still further Reduced, which means a Wonderful Buying Opportunity for you.
RIGHT OUT OF THE ORDINARY.
25 pieces BLACK and CREAM ALL-WOOL HEAVY QUALITY CHEVIOT SERGE. Usual Price 4s 11d yard. SALE PRICE, 1s 11½d per yard.
BLACK and CREAM SILK VOILES, a Bargain at 1s 8d per yard.
RUSIL LININGS, all colours, Double Width, at 6½d per yard.
CREAM and BLACK CANVAS VOILES. Sale Price, 8½d per yard.
BLACK CASHMERES, Double Width, at 5½d per yard.
500 BLACK and CREAM BEARSKIN COATEES. Worth from 25s to 3 guineas. Sale, 4s 11d, 7s 11d, 9s 11d, 10s 6d each.
REMEMBER, WE MUST SELL OUR STOCK TO AVOID DAMAGE.
The Goods are marked at ABSURDLY LOW PRICES. Call and see for yourself at
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GREAT EXTENSION SALE.
PITT-STREET.

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BARMAID, saloon, country, 17s 6d; Ck., F., ctry. hotel, 20s; Housemaid, same place, 10s; H. and P. Maid, assist bar, subs., 12s; Kitchenman, 12s, city hotel; young Cook and Laundress, R.R.R., country, 15s.
WALKER'S,
Castlereagh-street.

BARMAIDS (2), city hotels, 15s, 20s.
MARRIED COUPLE, bachelors' qtrs., man milk, kill, wife housekeeper, £80.
MARRIED BOUNDARY RIDER, 20s, double rations, wife no duties, no children.
SCULLERYMAN for city hotel, 12s.
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MYERS' AGENCY, 35 ELIZABETH-STREET.

CLEAN, trustworthy person, small family, gas stove, refs. After 10, 61 Boyce-st, Glebe Point.

C.L., 18s; H.M., W. (ctry.), 12, 11s; H. Pmd. (city), 12; G. Ss., 14s, 12s, 10s. Swan, 21 Elizabeth-st.

COOK, L., 5 fam., 20s; House P. Md., 18s, f.c. stn. (h. maid kept); Friends or Mother and D., 20s, 15s, stn.; M. Cs., Man Cook, £85, £70; H. Md., 12s; Wait., 12s, a hotel. LAYARD, 25 Elizabeth-street.

COOK, sub., 25s; Cook, L'dress, 1st-class hotel, c'try, 17s; private house, sub., 3 fam., 15s; House P. Maids, city, 14s, 12s; Lady Help, Manly, no wash., 8s; Gen., 3 fam., 13s. Mrs. Morison, 19 Elizabeth-st.

COOK, sub., 20s, 25s; Cook-Ls., Moree, 16s. Nurses, N'castle, 14s; Temora, 12s; L. H., sub., 9s. Cook, 16s, H.P.M., 14s, same stn.; Governess, £36. Nurse, 1 child, sub., 12s; Housemaid, hotel, 12s. Groom, garden, useful, sub., 20s. Mrs. WOODIN, 32 P.O.-chambers, 114A Pitt-street, opp. G.P.O.

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WANTED, Lad for sulky, must be good driver. Apply early, 22 Chalder-st, Newtown.

WANTED, resp. young GENERAL, references. Apply 651 Dowling-st, Moore Park.

WANTED, four LABOURERS, this morning, 7 o'cl. sharp. Contractor, Col. Sugar Com., Pyrmont.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT, must be able to cook and iron, 15s week. Matron, Hosp., Bowral.

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WANTED, young Girl, about 18, assist all duties except washing, ref. Myee, Bruce-st, Stanmore.

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